Weather

Cloudy, showery. The maximum temperature yesterday was 80.1 and the minimum 70.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 80.3 and 69.8.

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MARKET FOR CHEMICALS IS IN PROCESS OF BUILDING HERE

Trade Continues In Unsatisfactory Condition

CHINESE ARE BUSY

Soda Ash Factories May Be Established Here Later

BY DAVID ARAKIE

Though subject to occasional bright periods of increased orders which seem to suggest that the worst is over, the chemical trade as a whole in China is still in an unsatisfactory state. With rather less uncertainty felt as to values in the near future, the demand for chemicals is steadier, and while business is still confined to buying to meet early requirements a fair number of negotiations for small orders are reported. For certain chemicals there is a fairly steady flow of inquiries, but generally the demand is rather slow. The trade in general moves in moderate quantities.

Properly speaking, there is no organised chemical market in China, for there is no manufacturing of industrial chemicals in this country. Chemical manufacture is dependent upon cheap raw products and the utilisation of by-products. Although there is no heavy chemical industry in China, the Chinese are beginning to turn their attention to this. We understand that the Taku Soda Ash Manufacturing Company, established in Tientsin by a group of people connected with the Chinese Agriculture and Commerce Department with a capital of two million dollars of which $400,000 has been paid up, will begin manufacturing in September next. The great drawback in the past against a developed Chinese chemical industry has been the failure on the part of the Central Government in offering inducements to pioneers and capitalists for the establishments of same.

NO GOVERNMENT AID

While the Japanese Government has assisted all infant industries by means of protective tariffs and grants, the Chinese authorities have been slow in adopting this policy, and it is only in recent months that Peking has shown a desire to come to the help of those desirous of establishing manufacturing industries. The Taku Soda Ash Company, with the privilege of being exempt from paying the salt tax on supplies used by this Company will, when it begins to manufacture, prove an unpleasant competitor to the companies adready established.

In Tientsin alone the monthly arrivals amount to nearly 14 million pounds, and there is every reason to expect that with the success of the present venture such factories will be established in Shanghai and other parts of China. The Company has secured from the Peking Government a promise that permission for the establishment of similar factories within 33 miles of the Taku Soda Ash Company will be withheld. There would appear to be a very good field in China for such an enterprise, and should the success of the pioneer firm be up to the general expectation the way should be paved for the formation of similar manufactories in other parts of the country. When the new company's output, amounting to 66½ million pounds, appears on the market it would mean that the present supplies will suffer.

On the other hand, we cannot close our eyes to the fact that the consumption of heavy chemicals in China is not large enough to warrant the establishment of factories throughout the length and breadth of the country. With the removal of the drawback that has existed in the past by the Central Government's readiness to assist new industries as much as possible, the possibilities of steady development are certain. In no branch of manufacture is governmental assistance emphatically essential than in the production of heavy chemicals.

CHEMISTS LACKING

Another desideratum is the supply of qualified chemists and trained hands. The cost of obtaining these in China is higher than in other countries. Cheap labor might be an advantage

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BY J. L. BUTTS

When Tsu Yuen-foo had successfully moored his cargo barge in the Lay Road Creek and began unloading preparations, Lieu Siau Nyi Ts, standing in a commanding position on the bank, lifted his hand and bade the skipper to pause.

"Don't you know the custom?" inquired Lieu.

"What custom?" countered Tsu.

"The custom," explained Lieu, "is that before you dump any cargo on this particular stretch of shoreline, you pay me $5. Otherwise sundry instantaneous and astonishing things happen to your ship and your cargo and your family presently begin wearing white armbands."

Tsu mulled this over for a brief space and then excavated his wallet and passed over a $5 note.

At this stage of the proceedings Constable 668 strolled up.

"Why the princely benificence for this neighborhood nuisance?" he demanded of the boatsman, meanwhile snagging a practised hand in the slack of Lieu's costume.

Tsu explained.

"He's spoofing you," declared Lieu to the policeman, with a reasurring grin. "I just reminded him that we were old friends and asked him for a loan."

But with the advent of the Law Tsu had recovered from his fright.

"I never saw him before," said he, "and I never expected to see him or my $5 again."

Which proved to be fifty percent error as the Mixed Court ordered the five-spot returned and then arranged to have Lieu shunted across the border into new territory when he finishes his fortnight in limbo.

A JEST FALLS FLAT

When Yang Pau-sung returned to the living room of his home at 201 Dzongching Road the other afternoon after a moment's absence and found that $24 in notes which he had left on the table were no longer apparent he wasted no time in speculating on the supernatural, though he knew by reason of his itinerary on leaving the room that no one had entered or departed from the house. Instead he went looking for Ng Ping-sz, amah, the only other person on the premises.

Ng was ostensibly attending to duties of her station in the kitchen and when questioned was by no means so skeptical on the theory of unnatural agencies as her employer. So Yang called in a constable and told the amah to outline her hypothesis of fund hunting fairies to him. The sight of the uniform, however, seemed to jolt Ng into more realistic realms of explanation. She pulled the $24 out of her sleeve and handed them back to the householder.

"I didn't mean to keep the money," said she. "I just shoved it up my sleeve for a joke."

Ng now has two weeks which may be devoted to laughing heartily over the success of her little jest, without any distracting influences such as work to interfere with her cachinnations. But as they walked out of the court room Yang seemed to be the only one appreciative of the funny side of the matter.

BROKERS SUSPENDED

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, June 26.—The New York Curb Market today expelled Benjamin Alexander and suspended E. B. Morley for one year when they were found guilty of unethical practices by the board of governors.

Ten Dead, Eighty-Three Hurt As "L" Train In N. Y. Crashes To Street

Heavily Laden Coaches Plunge From Structure Forty Feet In Air; Seven Women And Girls Among Dead; Crowds Hinder Rescue Work

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, June 25.—Ten people were killed and 45 injured when a Brooklyn elevated train jumped the track while making a curve and crashed to the street below today. The motorman has been arrested charged with homicide.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, June 26.—The casualties of the elevated railway crash were eight killed and 83 injured, the dead including seven women and girls. The train plunged 40 feet into the junction of Atlantic and Flatbush Avenues, Brooklyn, the congested retail shopping center. The people in motorcars and the pedestrians had miraculous escapes. The falling cars carried down countless electrical wires from which blue flames spluttered menacingly amid the tangled debris. The screams of the passengers pinioned under the cars and those transfixed by jagged pieces of the cars or cut by broken glass, were heard above the din and shouts of the spectators, and the clanging gongs of the fire-engines and ambulances. The street was quickly jammed, thousands hindering the rescue so that it was nightfall before all the injured were taken to hospital.

The cause of the accident is uncertain. It is thought to be due to a defective rail or misplaced switch. The motorman has been arrested on a charge of homicide.

(Reuter's Service)

New York, June 25.—A terrible accident occurred today on the elevated railway in one of the busiest sections of Brooklyn through the toppling over of a two-car train. It is at present estimated that 6 persons were killed and 40 injured. The first car fell on to a couple of motorcars in the street below dragging the second along.

Witnesses say that one of the axles of the forward car appeared to break, causing the first car to slip over, partly demolishing the elevated structure in its fall. The two cars partially telescoped. Broken electric wires caused a fire but the flames were quickly extinguished.

The only previous time that a train has fallen in a New York street was fifteen years ago in Manhattan.

LIEUT.COMMANDER R. C. GIFFEN TO BE JULY 4TH SPEAKER

Every American Child Here Expected To Attend Flag Raising

Lieut-Commander R. C. Giffen, United States Navy, will deliver the flag address at the ceremony of the Raising of the Flag in the American Consulate-General grounds on the morning of the fourth of July, according to an announcement made by United States Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham. Commander Giffen, who is now at Chefoo with the fleet on summer maneuvers, will arrive in Shaughai next week.

Mr. Cunningham also announced that Andersen, Meyer and Company would again take charge of the illumination of the flagpole and consulate grounds as they have in the past, insuring a brilliant electrical display for that evening. Andersen, Meyer and Company for several years have taken charge of the electrical work for the celebration as a part of their contribution to the day.

Special efforts will be made this year to have every American child attend the flag raising ceremony, which is chiefly for the children. All parents have been requested to have their children attend on that morning and miniature flags will be given all who attend.

The decoration of the former American Post Office quarters is now under way for the Consul-General's reception. Because of the steady growth of the American Community in Shanghai it is expected 1,000 will attend the reception this year.

American Chamber Has Annual Meeting Next Friday Night

Dinner And Business Session At American Club

Members of the American Chamber of Commerce are reminded that the annual meeting and dinner will be held Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the American Club.

Reservations for the dinner should be made with the secretary, Mr. D. J. Lewis, 400 Robert Dollar Building, telephone Central 4742.

Japanese Navy To Launch New Gunboat Here

And it came to pass that the lion cavorted around with the lamb!

Cards were issued yesterday announcing that the new gunboat for the Imperial Japanese Navy, the "Seta," will be launched at the shipyards of the Eastern Engineering and Shipbuilding Company, Ltd., 66 Yangtzsepoo Road on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The new gunboat was built in Shanghai.

Prominent members of the local Japanese community will attend.

Fuhtan University Commencement To Take Place Saturday

Class Of 100 To Be Graduated; Judge Lobingier To Speak

Fuhtan University next Saturday will hold its commencement exercises at Kiangwan when addresses will be given by Judge C. S. Lobingier, of the U. S. Court for China; Dr. Frank Gamble, General Secretary of Shanghai Christian Educational Association; and Dr. F. R. Yiu, Principal of South University. Mr. C. P. Hsu, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at Shanghai, will give out the diplomas. Honorary degrees will be conferred upon Mrs. Edith Kempton and Mr. F. C. King, professors of the University, and also Mr. T. Woo.

The exercises will start promptly at 4:30 p.m. Tea will be served before the opening of the exercises. The public is invited, and special invitation cards have been sent to various associations and organisations. A special train has been arranged to start from Shanghai station at 2:40 p.m. and will return from Kiangwan station at 6:35 p.m.

There will be about one hundred students who will receive their diplomas this year. Three members of the graduating class will sail for the United States in August for advanced education.

Amundsen To Make New Start

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Nome, Alaska, June 25.—Amundsen will make another effort to fly to the North Pole despite announcements that he had given up hope of being able to reach the Pole by airplane, according to word received today from Wainwright, Alaska, where the noted polar explorer is now stopping.

The word received here was to the effect that Amundsen would attempt the polar flight as soon as certain necessary repairs to his machine had been made.

"First Lady" Plants Memorial Tree

MRS. Warren G. Harding, wife of the nation's President, was sufficiently well to play a leading role in the Memorial Day celebration at Washington. As "First Lady of the Land," she planted, in Arlington, a memorial tree as a token of the nation's homage to its war martyrs.

QUEZON PARTY HOTLY ATTACKS WOOD'S POLICIES

Filipino Leaders, Touring Islands, Defends National Bank

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Manila, June 25.—The political pot in the Philippines is once more boiling. A legislative delegation headed by President Manuel Quezon of the Senate and Speaker Roxas of the House is now touring the islands explaining national problems to the people and calling attention to the anomalous situation in which the Philippine Government finds itself now with an American appointed Governor-General responsible only [illegible]

According to Manila newspaper correspondents who are accompanying the party the issues as presented by the delegation are that Governor-General Leonard Wood and Filipino leaders have taken diametrically opposed views on the question of the National Bank and the sugar contrals financed by the bank.

The Governor-General, according to Quezon's speeches, wants to close the National Bank and to sell out the sugar centrals to private firms or individuals. Quezon and Speaker Roxas oppose either closing the bank or selling the centrals.

President Quezon, in one speech, stated that if the Governor-General insists upon closing the National Bank the legislature will open up another. Another point which the Filipino leaders are taking to the people is that the legislature should be allowed to initiate the policies to be pursued by the Philippine Government, rather than follow out the Governor-General's suggestions and advice.

In another speech Quezon said that the Governor-General is admittedly extremely powerful but that if he ever ignores or goes against the Jones Act he is doomed politically.

Twenty Dead In Northwest Storm

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

St. Paul, Minn. June 25.—Twenty people were killed and property damage estimated at several million dollars as a result of the terrific wind and rain storm that swept the central Northwest over the week end, according to figures compiled here tonight.

Insulin Confirmed As Diabetes Cure

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, June 26.—The Journal of Metabolic Research has just published a report that as a result of experiments extending over nine months with insulin, discovered by two young scientists at the University of Toronto, it has been firmly established that it is a successful cure for diabetes.

PUBLICATION OF RUHR DOCUMENT STIRS FRENCH IRE

'Observer' Charges Paris Connived At Creation Of Rhine Republic

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 25.—While the reparations conversations between Britain and France have been hampered by the delay in the reconstruction of the Belgian Cabinet, according to the Paris newspapers a slight modification of the standpoints of both sides has resulted from a lengthy conversation between the Marquess of Crewe, the British Ambassador, and M. Poincare at the Quai d'Orsay yesterday.

Meanwhile, however, indignation is being caused by the publication of a translation of a long confidential report dated April 16, 1923, sent to Paris by the French High Commissioner in the Rhineland showing the French relations with the notorious Dr. Dorten, the leader of the separatist movement in the Rhineland, and urging the Government to conciliate him in view of the fact that "the idea of a Rhineland Republic is no longer a chimera but has entered the domain of probable events."

The French Foreign Minister has formally denied the existence of such a document and the Temps describes the publication as a sharp attack on France on the very day that a critical conversation is proceeding in Paris.

The Matin declares that the object of the Observer's manoeuvre is to facilitate an Anglo-German combination, financed by English banks with a view to the establishment in the Rhineland and the Ruhr of a buffer republic, subsidised from London, in order to prevent French influence from establishing itself definitely on the Rhine.

It is authoritatively declared in London that the Matin story is merely a repetition of a tale published last April when it was officially and categorically denied.

Repying to Mr. Ramsay Macdonald in the House of Commons today with regard to the Observer's Rhineland document Mr. Stanley Baldwin said that the Government had no knowledge of the authenticity or otherwise of the document and did not propose to make any representations to France or the other Allies in that connection.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, June 26.—Another official denial of the Observer's story with regard to Dr. Dorten says that the latter has never been subsidised by the French Government.

(French Wireless)

Paris, June 25.—The newspapers publish the following declarations of M. Bratiano, the Rumanian Minister of Finance, now at Paris: "The aim of my voyage is dual. I have come to discuss, in the first place, the question of reparations and, secondly, the improvement of the economic wealth of Rumania.

This preparation consists chiefly of amelioration of the Rumanian stock of economic tools.

It is maddening, he says, to know that on the Rumanian soil products exist of which Europe has an imperious need but which

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BOYCOTT HAS CUT JAPAN'S CHINA TRADE 3 FIFTHS

Tokio Foreign Trade Association Greatly Alarmed

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 20.—"The Chinese boycott agitation against Japanese goods is growing in intensity," says Mr. Ikuro Atsumi, Secretary to the Japan Foreign Trading Association.

"Since the begining of May Japanese exports to China has dropped by more than sixty percent as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year.

"If things are left to take their own course, the result will be the general ruin of Sino-Japanese trade."

(Reuter's Service)

Peking, June 26.—Chinese students who have returned from Japan advocate the restoration of Dalny and Port Arthur. They are holding a mass meeting at the Law College this afternoon to urge their fellow students to support this propaganda.

BUDDHIST WILL MAKE STUDY OF ROMAN CHURCH

Abbot To Sail On July 14 For Exhaustive Investigation

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 20.—Abbot Chion Matsubara of the Higashi Hongwanji will leave for Rome on July 14 by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha steamer, Siberia Maru, in order to make a study of Roman Catholic institutions.

"The sending of a Buddhist priest to Rome after all the opposition raised by Buddhists against the commissioning of a diplomatic official to the Vatican may appear self-contradictory," remarked the abbot when interviewed by press representatives yesterday.

"As a matter of fact this opposition was raised because Buddhists saw no necessity of taking such a course before knowing what the institution of the Vatican really meant. The object of the present journey is to make the closest possible study of the Vatican in particular and Catholicism in general."

Abbot Matsubara expects his mission will occupy about a year and a half.

Tokio Chamber Asks Government To Help Industry

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 21.—The Tokio Chamber of Commerce presented a memorandum to the Government authorities yesterday suggesting measures for the development of industry.

The revision of the custom duties, the lowering of money interest, the improvement of the banking organisations, the establishment of free trading ports, and the encouragement of skilled labor are among the measures suggested.

HARDING SAYS ENFORCEMENT MAY LEAD TO U. S. DISASTER

Attitude Of States Is Putting Burden On Government

DRINKING, MENACE

Federal Authority May Have To Create Costly Police System

(BY UNITED PRESS)
Special to The China Press

Denver, Colo. June 26.—President Harding, who is on his way to Alaska, spoke to an audience that packed the great Municipal auditorium last night, interest in his speech having been augmented by the announcement that he would discuss the prohibition issue.

The President began by saying that those who thought the Volstead law would ultimately be repealed were laboring under a delusion, as there were several reasons why this was out of the question. In the first place, the President said, the vast majority of the people were in favor of prohibition, in spite of the noise that was being made by certain persons and organisations, principally in the larger cities. These were influenced largely by selfish motives, he said.

Aside from that, the president continued, it did not require more intelligence than a school boy possessed to understand that constitutional limitations made a repeal of the law out of the question, as twelve out of the forty-eight states could defeat any effort to rescind the law. And no one doubted, he added, that at least that many states were absolutely opposed to even changing the law, to say nothing of repealing it. The legal difficulties of repeal, therefore, were insurmountable.

The president then discussed the attitude of various states, chiefly New York and Wisconsin, which had passed laws that shifted the burden of enforcement from their own to the federal government's shoulders. This presented a new and extremely difficult problem and one that the government had not yet devised a method of solving. He did not doubt, however, that when Congress met some way would be found of meeting the new situation. There was a possibility, of course, that should the federal government undertake the organisation of a vast police system to enforce the dry law the old conflict of states' rights versus federal authority would be revived, and while this would present new and tremendous difficulties there was little likelihood of a revival of passions sufficiently strong to cause another American civil war, as some of the wet adherents had been prophesying. The situation may become serious, the president said, but there was no real danger of its becoming tragic

Mr. Harding then went on to say that lawless drinking in America had become such an evil that it amounted to a national menace. This was a grave problem that Congress would have to consider and he did not doubt that some way would be found to control the evil. In the meantime public opinion both for and against this sort of law breaking was crystalising, and Mr. Harding had no doubt that those who were opposed were in the vast majority, and that their will would ultimately prevail. The president concluded by saying that those state legislatures which were thinking of repealing their enforcement laws did not realise the seriousness of their action, or that they were adding fuel to the fires of lawlessness that had grown out of the liquor situation. He hoped that they would consider the effect of such repealing laws very seriously.

(Reuter's Service)

Denver, O., June 25.—President Harding, in a speech here today, expressed the opinion that any change in prohibition would be in the direction of more effective enforcement.

Much evidence was reaching Washington that some States were disposed to abdicate their police

authority or enforce prohibition, and there was also a general misconception that the Federal Government was responsible for enforcement, whereas it was not equipped to make enforcement locally effective.

If, however, the burden of enforcement continued to be thrown on the Federal Government, it would be necessary to create a costly Federal police authority, which would inevitably be regarded as an intrusion of local authority with possibilities of disaster. In conclusion, the President declared that lawless drinking was becoming a menace to the nation.

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 25.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Viscount Curzon, Conservative Member for South Battersea, Mr. Baldwin said that the Government saw no ground to protest against the breaking of the seals on liquor on British liners in New York.

British Customs seals on dutiable ships' stores taken from Britain in bond, were in no way inviolable except in British waters. Foreign Customs seals had habitually been broken when necessary in British waters.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, June 25.—The French liner Paris has arrived here with enough liquor stored in her hold to float her.

Chemicals Market Being Developed

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which might enable a mill to offset the items of higher costs of obtaining experts and the higher costs of many of the essentials for manufacturing. But there is also the higher cost of the manufacturing process, interest and amortisation on the plant and equipment, which have been written off in countries where such industries have been developed.

Taking the case of Germany as an instance, all the large factories there have written down the cost of their plant to practically nothing, and thus this item of overhead, in so far as it refers to interest on plant and plant installation, is eliminated. It reduced the cost of production to these factories to such a low figure that similar industries started elsewhere and not enjoying these advantages or a protective tariff cannot possible expect to compete profitably.

The example of Japan in aiding manufacturing in her country could be emulated by China with ultimate economic profit. Connected with the South Manchuria Railway the Japanese have in the Dairen central laboratory an up-to-date research laboratory, the raison d'etre of which is to develop the manufacturing process until the experimental stage is passed. Then the industry is turned over to some firm or individual for commercial exploitation.

On the question of by-products it is difficult to dispose of these in China at prices profitable to the factories. For instance, if an organisation went in for charcoal manufacturing by the process of dry distillation it would find the by-products, which are acetone, methyl alocohol and tar, not easily disposable. These by-products are used largely in the paint industry, but in China there is no paint industry worthy of the name. As far as pine tar is concerned, the demand for this is limited.

In foreign countries manufacturers have no trouble in securing a ready market for their by-product. In China it would mean that efforts would have to be directed to the establishment of new markets, by either exporting these abroad or to the different points in the interior. At present there is only a limited demand for technical chemicals and a less demand for the highly purified products. On the other hand, it would not pay to go in for refining products on a small scale.

International Air Congress Convenes

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 25.—The Seventh International Air Congress was opened in London this morning by the Prince of Wales. It was attended by Sir Samuel Hoare, the Secretary of State for Air, the Duke of Sutherland, the Under Secretary of State for Air, a large and distinguished gathering of representatives of sixteen countries, including France, Italy, Belgium, Holland, China, Japan, India and Afghanistan, and the High Commissioner for Australia.

The Prince of Wales, welcoming the delegates, emphasised the great possibilities of civil aviation, especially in developing international goodwill.

The Duke of Sutherland said that the world was on the eve of a great advance in aviation, the development of international civil and commercial aeronautics on a scale hitherto not realised, and the evolution of a popular, cheap and light aeroplane.

The Dog Watch

By Westa

YESTERDAY, on Astor Road, a young fellow asked me for twenty cents. "Mister," he said, unashamed and half smiling, "have you got twenty cents floatin' round loose in your jeans that you ain't got no use for?"

I asked him why he wanted twenty cents.

"Well," he said, "to tell the plain truth I want it to buy one of them little wooden rickeyshaws that I seen in a winder down the street."

Except for his youth, which was infectious, and his face, which was reminiscent of Page county, Iowa, harvest fields, and his eyes, which were as blue as Peggy O'Neill's, the twenty cents would have continued to float around loose in my jeans.

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IT turned out that he was a native of Marion, a little town in Lincoln County, Kansas. He said his folks lived on a farm; that he and his brother had gone down to Galveston last winter to work on a railroad; that they had both shipped on a freighter to Seattle, via Panama, and that from there he had signed on with another freighter for Japan, China, and back by way of Europe.

"And here you are," I said, "ten thousand miles from home and broke."

"Broke as hell," he said.

"Howcome you are broke?" I asked him.

"Well," he said, "I drawed my pay in Kobe and no sooner had I drawed it than it was gone. I guess there wasn't much left in them stores over there when I got through blowin' my money."

"What did you buy?"

"Hell's bells, there wasn't nothin' I didn't buy—kimonies, cuff buttons, and a whole raft of them turtle shell doo dads."

"You say you left America last winter?"

"Yeah, in January."

"I see by the papers," I said, speculatively, "that they are kicking up quite a fuss in America over the prohibition question; what do you think of it?"

"I ain't thought much about it," he said.

"Is America wet or dry?"

"Well," he said, "I'm dinged if I know. Back in my section they don't know what likker looks like and you never hear no mention of it. But when I was in 'Frisco about all you heard them talkin' about was bootleggers. If you ast me, I think the big towns wants booze and the little towns don't care anything about it one way or the other."

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AND that, if you "ast" me, is an accurate picture of the prohibition issue in the United States. The big towns want it and the bigger they are the more they want it, and from all reports they are having little or no trouble in getting it. But in the little tows, just as this sailor says, there is "not even any mention of it," and that, in the final analysis, is a significant fact. Enforcement legislation, whether state or national, will not make prohibition effective. That must be accomplished, if it is to be accomplished at all, by public opinion. In the little towns—and America, after all, is a nation of little towns—public opinion apparently is slowly but surely creating a barrier that the bootleggers, skillful as they are at overcoming obstacles, cannot surmount, namely, a lack of demand for the stuff they sell.

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WHAT did you do with all that stuff you bought in Kobe?" I asked the sailor.

"Sent it home," was his laconic reply.

"And what are you going to do with this toy ricsha?" I asked.

"Well," he said, "I've got a little sister back in Kansas, and when I seen them little rickeyshaws and wheelbarrows in that store I figured one of them would just about tickle her pink."

And so, inasmuch as I do not happen to belong to the Society for the Prevention of Tickling Little Sisters in Kansas into the state called Pink I gave him the twenty cents, and perhaps, for all you know or will ever find out, a few odd coppers that were floating around loose in my jeans besides.

WORKING WOMEN TO HOLD CONGRESS IN VIENNA, AUG. 10

A cable has just been received by the national Y.W.C.A. of this city to the effect that the International Congress of Working Women will be held, beginning August 10, in Vienna instead of Cologne as previously announced. The Young Women's Christian Assocation is concerned in this gathering because of the attendance as fraternal delegate representing China, of Miss Shin Tak Hin, of the Y.W.C.A. staff, who is at present the holder of the Industrial Scholarship given to a Chinese young woman each year for attendance at the London School of Economics.

At the last meeting of the International Congress, held in Geneva, Switzerland, two years ago, China was represented by Miss Zung Wei-tsung of this city. It is of interest to compare what it was possible for Miss Zung to report from China to the Congress of 1921, and the far more encouraging report which Miss Shin will be able to make. Miss Zung returned from Geneva saying that when China was called upon to account for its labor conditions she felt as though she were "speaking from the Middle Ages, of something which should long ago have been obsolete." China is one of but three countries which do not as yet subscribe to the international labor standard set by the League of Nations, and therefore is entitled to a fraternal delegate only, but the attendance of these two young women at these two meetings of the Congress has attracted world-wide interest among those interested in industrial conditions.

Miss Shin will be able to report to the Congress that in just the two years since it last met many of the most powerful forces in China have taken definite action for the regulaton of modern industry in this country. The Protestant Christian Church of China, as represented in the National Christian Conference held here last May, 1922, set a minimum standard looking towards the abolishment of child labor in factories, one day's rest in seven, and provision for the health and safety of industrial workers; and has since conducted a campaign of education in many parts of China. The Peking Government issued draft regulations for the conduct of modern industry, in March, 1923. The recent announcement of the intention of Jardine, Matheson to prohibit child labor in their mills after September 1 has come before the community as one of the most significant steps to be taken in this building up of better conditions. In April of this year the Municipal Council appointed a Commission on Child Labor in the Settlement, and the Commission has already begun regular sittings, which we understand are to continue through the Summer, and which should result in the setting and carrying into force of industrial conditions far more in line with what should obtain in the model settlement than those which are at present the rule.

Powers May Act On China's Debts

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 26.—The Diplomatic Correspondent of the Daily Telegraph gathers that the Washington Government and the American banking circles concerned are likely to express an early general concurrence to the proposals of the British representatives of the Four-Power Financial Consortium with regard to measures for the consolidation of the present non-consolidated Chinese debts.

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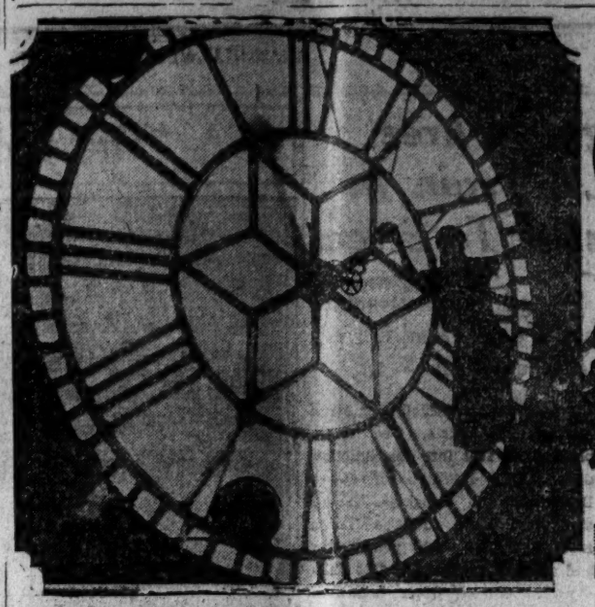

Miss Ruth Heine

MISS Ruth Heine, San Francisco society girl, gets a kick out of climbing up and down dangerous places and decides that the city's clocks need cleaning. Here she is pictured on one of the hands of a great clock.

Beckett Needs Long Rest, May Not Fight July 26

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 26.—An eminent surgeon specialist examined Beckett's hand today and gave a certificate that he was unfit for training for the fight against Carpentier on July 26 and that rest of at least three months is essential. Major Wilson, the promoter, threatens legal proceedings.

Miss Addams Goes To Tokio Hospital

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 26.—Miss Jane Addams, who arrived here on Sunday evening, is at present in hospital suffering from a small tumour, the nature of which has not yet been determined. She was today examined by a University specialist. The physicians declare that there is no cause for alarm in her condition.

Publication Of Ruhr Document Stirs French Ire

(Continued from Page 1)

Rumania cannot produce through lack of the necessary implements.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, June 25.—Herr Cuno, speaking at Koenigsberg, emphasised that the spirit of resistance of the Ruhr population had not diminished and that no Government order as the French demanded could terminate the situation created by the will of the people.

The Chancellor hoped that the whole German people would prove equally unbreakable in the matter of the payment of reparations on the condition that Germany's economic freedom would thereby be secured.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, June 25.—The newspapers learn that the negotiations by M. Tueunis to form a Cabinet at Brussels have not yet been successful and that no solution can be reached before Wednesday.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, June 25.—Havas reports that the industrial situation in the Ruhr continues to grow more serious and that the number of unemployed is increasing every day. A large number of factories of secondary importance have dismissed a part of their workmen and are only working three or four days a week. As from June 25 the miners in the Ruhr will draw an average wage of 75,000 marks, an increase of 25,000 marks since June 15. The transport workers at Duesseldorf are negotiating with the employers for a new increase of 100 percent. The Communist section in the Ruhr is organising propaganda meetings from June 24 to 30.

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Deposit Made Before War Results In Court Action Before Judge Lobingier

German, British And American Concerns In Financial Mixup Over Tls. 20,084.17

An interesting action arising out of transactions with an enemy subject during the war was heard yesterday in the United States Court for China before Judge C. S. Lobingier. The German firm, Chemische Fabrik Griesheim Elektron, sued the International Banking Corporation to recover Tls. 26,084.17 with interest, paid into the Bank by Bradley and Co., Ltd. in the joint names of Bradley and Co. and Siemsen and Co., the latter of which was acting as agents for the plaintiffs in China.

In pursuance of the joint agreement Bradley and Co. deposited with the International Banking Corporation the sum of Tls. 24,622. It was pleaded that at the time of the deposit the International Bank had known that Bradley and Co. had no equitable title or interest in the deposit, and the sum due and payable in its entirety from Bradley and Co. to the plaintiffs.

It was submitted that the International Bank with full knowledge of the facts paid the deposit with accrued interest up to April 30, 1919, amounting in all to Tls. 26,041.17 or its equivalent to the Public Trustee and Custodian for Enemy Property in England.

Plaintiffs stated that they were never informed of this allocation until May 2, 1922, and submitted that the payment by the International Bank to Bradley and Co. and by the latter to the Custodian of Enemy Property constituted a breach of the contract on the part of the bank.

The International Bank replied that the money was turned over to Bradley and Co. in terms of a letter addressed to the Bank by Bradley's.

COME AS INTERVENORS

Bradley and Co. appeared as an intervening party and joined issue with the defendants. In their petition Bradley and Company stated that on April 30, 1919 they were indebted to the plaintiffs to the extent of £3,077.-15.5, but owing to the state of war then existing were prevented and prohibited from making any payment of money to the plaintiffs.

The interveners' petition further set out that a tael account had been opened in the International Bank in the joint names of Bradley and Co. and Siemsen and Co., agents for the plaintiffs against which checks might be drawn if signed by both parties. As security for the payment of its then sterling indebtedness to the plaintiffs, Bradley and Co. deposited Tls. 44,620.17 with the International Bank. As the firm of Siemsen and Co. had ceased to function during the war, Bradley and Co., failing to find any representative of this firm or any one authorised to sign the checks as a joint signatory against the Shanghai tael account, withdrew the amount on April 30, 1915, and handed the sum of £3,077.15.5, the equivalent of the tael account, to the Custodian of Enemy Property in full payment of its indebtedness to the plaintiffs.

Mr. Stirling Fessenden appeared for the plaintiffs, Mr. G. H. Wright for Bradley and Co. and Mr. Chalaire for the International Bank.

OWNERSHIP QUESTION

Mr. Fessenden mentioned that Bradley and Company's petition for intervention had set out the main point of ownership, and had maintained in their petition that the deposit was their sole property and therefore had a full right to withdraw it from the Bank and make such disposition of it that they thought best. As Bradley and Co. had raised this issue in their intervening petition, Mr. Fessenden submitted that it was up to Bradley and Co. to prove their case. If their contention was correct that the funds belonged to them, it would dispose of the entire case. Until that issue was decided, Mr. Fessenden argued that the plaintiffs could not go on with their case. The plaintiffs were not conversant with the facts of the case for Bradley and Co., and it was for Bradley and Co. to establish their contention.

Mr. Wright for Bradley and Co. said he could not appreciate any particular ground which could necessitate Mr. Fessenden making the application that the case for Bradley and Co. should be heard first. The plaintiffs' proper remedy would have been to bring an action against Bradley's in the British Supreme Court, where it could be denied that the money belonged to the plaintiffs. The plaintiffs had come into the United States Court and claimed the money in bank as theirs, but Bradley and Co. intervened to defend this action against the International Bank.

WRIGHT OPPOSES IT

Continuing, Mr. Wright stated: The position that we take is a denial that the sum of money is his. I do not see why an intervener who comes into Court in the capacity of a defendant should present his case before the plaintiff.

Mr. Fessenden replied that he had filed a long brief and cited a long line of authorities to show that an intervener was not a defendant but a plaintiff in so far as this case was concerned. It set up a case not against the Bank but against the plaintiff in this case, and therefore, so far as Bradley and Co. was concerned, it was a case of Bradley's against the plaintiff. Mr. Fessenden added that when he filed his case in the United States Court he had no knowledge of Bradley and Company's intervention. All that the plaintiffs knew was that the money was handed over to Bradley's at the latter's request.

Mr. Chalaire objected to the evidence of Bradley and Co. being taken first, and pointed out that an intervener might come into Court on three different matters. He might come in a matter that is adverse to defendant or plaintiff, or he might come in and join the defendant or join the plaintiff. The intervener had denied that money was the plaintiff's, and in this respect simply supplements the denial of the Bank. He considered it would be an injustice to make the intervener give evidence first.

Judge Lobingier sustained the application of Mr. Fessenden as he felt it would facilitate the disposition of the case. The intervener would have to prove his denial. The onus did not rest on one party alone but on all to prove their cases. The remark that the International Bank would be prejudiced appeared, the Judge said, to be without foundation.

INTRICATE CASE

Mr. Wright in his opening remarks stated that the case was an intricate one owing to the incidence of the War, and if it were not for the War the parties would not be in the present position. How far His Honor was going to decide the question which was involved between the British officials and the German officials he did not know, but it was a point that entered largely in the present suit. There was no agreement entered into by Bradley and Co. and the plaintiff firm. If there were any agreement which established a relationship between the plaintiff and Bradley and Company, it would then be necessary to ascertain the true relationship by reference to the course of dealings between the parties.

The relationship must be wither of vendor and purchaser or principal and agent. The case for Bradley and Co. was that the relationship was that of vendor and purchaser, for all the contracts for the sale of dyes in China were made as principals and they were direct contracts between Bradely and Co. and the dealers. The next point was that Bradley and Company paid storage and insurance charges. If that was the true state of affairs, Mr. Wright submitted, as between Bradley's and the Chinese dealers it was difficult to see how it could be found that the relationship between Bradley and Co. was that of principal and agent.

Mr. Wright mentioned that according to English common law an intercourse, commercial or otherwise, was prohibited between Great Britain and Germany, and that was why Bradley and Co. were prohibited from paying this sum of money to the plaintiff firm.

The Judge: There was special legislation in addition to the common law?—Yes. Later on, there was a further regulation which called upon British subjects to pay any debts owing to an enemy subject over to the Custodian of Enemy Property.

Dr. T. Drakeford, managing director of Bradley and Co., then testified and the hearing was adjourned.

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Japan Sets Aside Y400,000 To Send Settlers Overseas

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, June 21.—The Home Department have decided to make an appropriation of an amount of Y 400,000 for the encouragement of Japanese emigration. Of this amount Y250,000 will be allowed to settlers overseas, and Y 150,000 to settlers in Hokkaido, Korea and Miyazaki-ken.

Oversea emigrants now number over 1 000 annually, the majority of them going to the South Seas and South America. A concrete plan for encouraging oversea emigrants is now under the consideration of the Home Office, and will shortly be announced.

The new regulations which have been issued in regard to settlement in Kokkaido are decidedly more favorable for intending settlers than the old ones. Each family will be granted a plot of tillable land 225 acres in area, which will become the property of the settler after cultivation for five years, instead of ten years, as hitherto, while during the first year of settlement the Government will grant the settler and his family a maintenance allowance.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Southampton, June 25.—The rush of immigrants to the United States under the new quota for Great Britain began today when approximately 300 skilled mechanics, artisans and farmers sailed for New York, intending to settle in various parts of the country.

Poincare To Make Trip Through France

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, June 25.—The newspapers publish the program for the forthcoming trip of the President of the Republic through the center of France on the occasion of the Clermont-Ferrand Festival on July 7 in honor of the tercentenary of Pascal. The President will afterwards visit the Haute-Loire and the Marais.

Harding Vs. Ford Or Underwood?

Henry J. Allen.

HENRY J. Allen, former Republican Governor of Kansas, has stated, in London, his belief that President Harding will be a candidate for re-election and that he will be opposed by either Henry Ford, automobile manufacturer, or Oscar W. Underwood, United States Senator from Alabama. Allen dented that he intends to seek the Republican nomination. Democratic leaders, he said, are for Underwood, but he is skeptical about their ability to control the national convention.

"Smilin' Through"

"Smilin' Through," the play that was so popular in Shanghai when the Frawley company presented it here a few months ago, was repeated by the company last night at the Lyceum Theater. It was received with much enthusiasm, and it was noticeable that it was a much more finished production than when given here last December.

Miss Adele Blood again scored heavily in the double role of Moonyeen Clare and Kathleen Dungannon. Her radium gown, about which so much has been said and written, was again a feature of the performance. Mr. Frawley appeared as Dr. Owen, and Herbert Light as John Carteret, the man of many sorrows and an unyielding will. Others in the cast were Bernard Nedell as the soldier-lover, Lester Sybe, Betty Barnicoat, Florence Roberts and Helen Barnes.

The story of "Smilin' Through" is centered in England and Ireland, and has to do with a great tragedy that has followed through two generations.

"Tea For Three" will comprise the bill tonight, and "Anna Christie" will be presented tomorrow night and Saturday matinee.

Kerby Goes To Peking For New York Tribune

Mr. Philip Kerby, formerly a member of the staff of THE CHINA PRESS, will leave for Peking on Friday morning to assume his duties as Far Eastern correspondent for The New York Tribune.

Mr. Kerby was formerly on the staff of The Tribune in New York, and has also covered assignments for them in various quarters of the globe. During the recent bandit outbreak he represented The Tribune at Tsao Chuang. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Kerby.

STEAMER ON ROCKS

(Reuter's Service)

Hamilton, Bermuda, June 25.—The Royal Mail Steam Packet Co's liner Caraquet, from Halifax, has gone on the reefs to the north of Bermuda and is believed to be breaking up. Tugs have left to take off the passengers.

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The Home Insurance Co., New York	18,000,000	79,391,575	41,465,572	43,760,249	35,631,326
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St. Paul Fire Marine Insurance Co., Minn.	2,000,000	20,517,281	10,533,320	10,438,050	10,079,231
Westchester Fire Insurance Co., New York	1,000,000	11,149,598	7,000,813	7,693,155	3,456,443
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BRITAIN PLANS MOVES TO FOSTER IMPERIAL TRADE

Annual Conference Of Dominion Representatives Proposed

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 26.—Definite suggestions for fostering Imperial trade are made in the interim report of the Committee of the Federation of British Industries, which has been considering the subject during the past six months. The report recommends the abolition of export duties on raw material in the Crown Colonies; the establishment of absolute uniformity of Customs regulations; the introduction throughout the Dominions of anti-dumping legislation, similar to that operating in Australia and New Zealand; and the improvement of postal and telegraphic communications linking up the West Indies and the African colonies, the latter through Capetown.

The report advocates that Britain, as far as possible, should furnish capital and experience to help industrial undertakings in the Dominions and expresses the opinion that sporadic conferences should be replaced by a permanent organisation, with subsidiary annual conferences, of Dominion representatives in London.

KULING TEACHERS LEAVING SHORTLY FOR FURLOUGHS

Miss Jean Morrison, who for the past three and one-half years has been on the staff of the Kuling American School in the capacity of trained nurse and physical director for girls, left Kuling Thursday morning, June 21 for Shanghai and on July 2 will sail for America on the Empress of Australia. Miss Morrison expects to take a course in physical training during her furlough, and will return in the Summer of 1924.

Miss Norah Carnie, who has been on the staff of the school for four years as secretary and teacher, together with Mr. V. Carney Hagroves who has recently resigned from the staff and Mr. George A. Kennedy who has been teaching in the school during the second term, also sail for America on the Empress boat. Miss Carnie, after a brief visit in the United States will go to England where she expects to spend a year with relatives. She plans to return to Kuling and resume her duties on the staff of the Kuling American School in the Summer of 1924. Mr. Kennedy plans to enter the Theological department of Western Seminary, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. R. E. Brown, who has been on the staff for the past year, will sail from Shanghai for America on the President Jefferson June 30.

Tonight's Concert

The following program will be played, weather permitting, by the Municipal Band in the Public Garden this evening beginning at 9:15 p.m.:

March, "Our Director" .. Bigelow
Overture, "William Tell" Rossini
Waltz, "Soiree d'Ete" Waldteufel
Selection, "La Pouppee" .. Bayer
Serenade, "Mon Paradis" Clarke
Waltz, "Hawaiian Eyes" de Freyne
Intermezzo, "In a Monastery Garden" .... Ketelbey
Suite de Ballet "Coppelia," Delibes

A. de Kryger,
Assistant Conductor.

DUTCH LOAN

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 25.—Dealings commenced in the Dutch Indies Loan at ½ percent discount, it was later quoted at 1½ percent, and finished at 1 percent discount.

WANTS TO QUIT

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, June 26.—Mr. Chang Ying-hua informed Mr. Kao Ling-wei yesterday evening that he was not able to raise funds for administrative purposes and that he wished to retire from the Ministry of Finance.

NO BLOOD IN TURNIPS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, June 26.—The Government received a telegram from Tokio today stating that Chinese students surrounded the Legation and demanded money. The legation has no funds.

PROTEST SEIZURE

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, June 26.—It is reported that the Chinese Government has lodged a protest with the Soviet Delegation in Peking against the seizure of certain Chinese steamers in the Amur River. A reply has not yet been received.

MUTT & JEFF — Wait Till Jeff Gets Hold Of That Barber — By Bud Fisher

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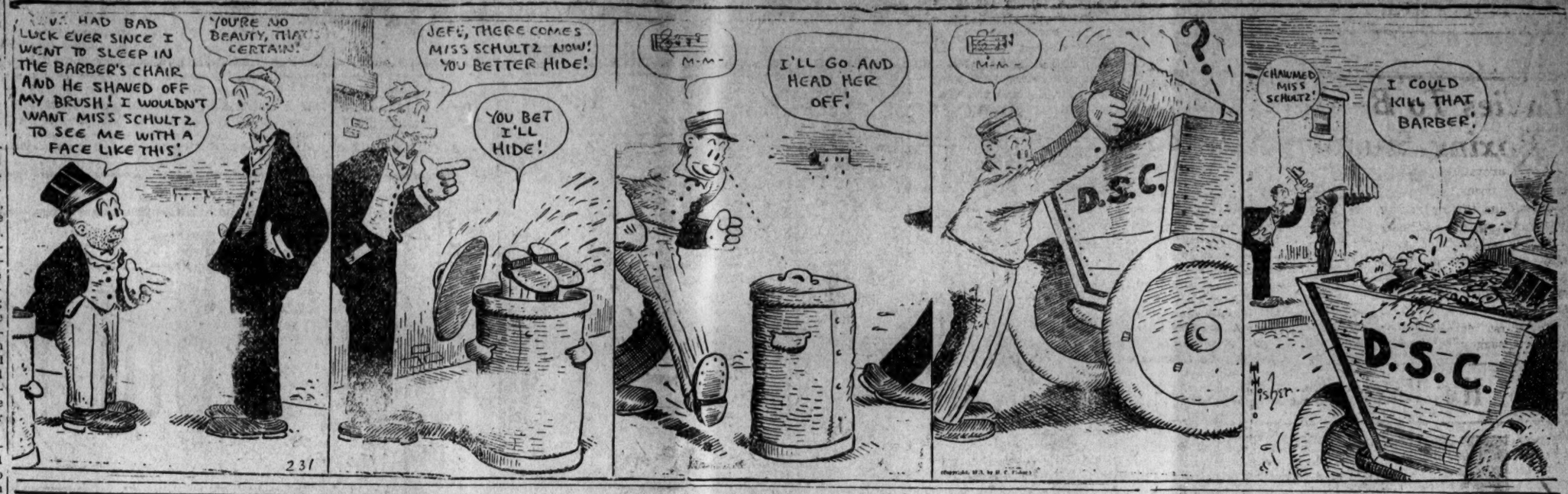

News Brevities

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nantz were among passengers who sailed yesterday on board the President Grant for the South. Mr. Nantz is en route to Singapore where he will act as manager for the Admiral Line offices there.

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Lieut. Osborne Wood, son of the Governor-General of the Philippines, who represented his father at the opening of the new Hongkong and Shanghai Bank building, returned to Manila yesterday on the Admiral liner President Grant.

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Mr. Roy Anderson sailed for Hongkong yesterday on the President Grant en route to Yunnan on a business trip.

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Among the passengers who arrived on the President Grant was Mrs. M. Lyons, wife of the Commissioner of Customs at Ichang. Mrs. Lyons has been visiting in England.

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Mr. A. Okazaki, former manager of the Bank of Taiwan here, has been appointed the bank's representative at Dairen and in his place Mr. Masato Kikuchi has been authorised to sign per procuration for the manager and assumed his duties as from the 25th.

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The ceremony of opening the Mount Fuji summer climbing season will be held on July 10.

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The contract for the erection of a new American hospital to be known as St. Luke's has just been let in Tokio at a price of Yen 1,200,000. Work will begin immediately and it is expected to be ready for occupancy in 15 months.

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The Emperor and Empress of Japan will go to Nikko early in July to spend the summer.

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Frederick Retz, for 51 years a leading member of the German community in Yokohama, died at his home on Saturday night. He owned considerable property in Japan and was known as one of the wealthiest foreigners there.

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With her head bandaged and her shoulders covered with bruises, a fifteen-year-old girl appeared in the Mixed Court before Assessor Berger and Magistrate Li yesterday to charge her mistress, one Shu Sung-sz with cruelty. The girl had been found crying at the corner of North Chekiang and Haining Roads and was sent to hospital by the police. The court remanded the case one week as the girl is still receiving treatment.

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The inauguration ceremony at the Summer Diseases Hospital of the Red Cross Society of China will be held next Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock, at 316 Tientsin Road.

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The graduating exercises of St. Mary's Hall, Jessfield, will be held today at 4:30 p.m.

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Sir Ernest Wilton was among the passengers who sailed on the s.s. Fengtien for Weihaiwei yesterday.

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Dr. and Mrs. S. I. Woodbridge, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Daniels and Mrs. L. B. Ridgeley were among passengers who sailed for Kiukiang en route to Kuling for the summer on the s.s. Loongwo yesterday.

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A rice boat which left Shanghai recently after doing a considerable amount of business was attacked by pirates and escaped with the loss of $300 and one man wounded. The robbers overlooked the bulk of the money carried by the boatman, this being hidden in a stove.

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Local iron workers have lodged a demand with their employers for a 35 percent increase in wages and two meals of rice and one of congee daily, instead of two meals of congee and one of rice which they have hitherto been receiving. A strike is threatened.

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Mrs. H. Wilden, wife of the French Consul-General sailed for Kobe on the Porthos yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chalaire announce the birth of a son at Dr. Fearn's on Monday, June 25.

Tikhon Recants, May Have Been Tortured

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, June 25.—The Soviet announces that Patriarch Tikhon has signed a declaration repudiating his past conduct and declaring that he has been the tool of the Monarchists. He expresses loyalty to the Soviet and appeals that this shall be considered at the forthcoming trial.

It is generally believed here that any such recantation must be

RUSSIAN FAIR

(Reuter's Service)

Mosow, June 25.—Signor Piacentini, the new Italian Commercial Agent, arrived in Moscow today.

M. Herriot and the other members of the French Commercial Mission here are actively preparing for the participation of French firms in the Nijni-Novgorod Fair in August.

A CORRECTION

In connection with the report of the annual meeting of the Assurance Franco-Asiatique, published in yesterday's issue, the heading, through an error, made it appear that the meeting was that of the I.S.S. The heading should have read "A.F.A. Net Premium Income Fcs. 6,085,008 for 1922."

Former Speaker Of House On China's Cosmopolitanism

(Writing for the special China-Japan edition of the Osaka Mainichi Mr. Wang I-tang, former Speaker of the House of Representatives, has the following to say regarding the cosmopolitanism of China:)

The Osaka Mainichi, English Edition, will issue a "Chinese Republic Special Edition." I was asked to write an article for the coming occasion. Unexpectedly, I am preparing to take a long journey and have no time to write a long article so, in these simple words, I express my gratification for being requested to make a contribution, and herewith present my cherished idea.

The striking feature of eastern civilisation lies in the fact that the establishment of nationalism is possibly based upon the cornerstone of cosmopolitanism. Confucius in the "Great Learning," besides dealing with state government, strongly advocated the pacification of the whole world. He said, "The wheels of all cars are of the same size and can be run on the same rails; all writing is with the same characters."

In the chapter of "Li Yun," the principle of cosmopolitanism has long been manifested plainly. The area of China is approximately equal to that of Europe. At the end of the Chow Dynasty (about 255 B.C.), the unification of a great many states materialised and a big nation was then organised. This was the A.B.C. step carrying out the principle of cosmopolitanism.

The medium of cosmopolitanism firstly is attributed to writing. During the time of "Chan Kuo" (about 300 B.C.) not only languages but also characters were different. However, the characters became unified until the Tsin Dynasty (about 240 B.C.), while in the Tang Dynasty (about 620 A.D.) the Chinese characters were used to the east in Japan and Korea and to the south in Annam and Siam. Nowadays the Eastern and Western civilisation is under the process of coming into contact and to combine them is of paramount importance in promoting the ideal of cosmopolitanism.

Twenty years ago, I desired to have every Chinese character with the standardised pronunciation of the Roman Character attached to it. This is similar to the Japanese "Katakana." However, this is not to abolish the old Chinese characters but simply adds to them a new set of common characters in order to universalise education within the country and advance the blending of the eastern and the western writing. For some time, this idea has been spreading widely, and I think it will be worked out in the near future; even the day will come for Japan to adopt this method instead of the "Katakana."

In view of the principle of cosmopolitanism we have, therefore, an Oriental saying, "All within the four seas are brethren." Just imagine how far the four seas are separated and how different are the human races, and yet we must regard each other as brothers. How much more we are brothers! China and Japan are brother-countries. It is scarcely necessary to say that brothers ought to love mutually. If not, then there must be reasons. Let me cite an example: A and B belong to different races, but, if they have the same principles and purposes, they are of the same family. Whereas, if different in principles and purposes, even though brothers, they are of different races.

In order to improve the friendly relations bteween China and Japan, we must have the same purpose. The people of these two countries, I should say, ought to co-operate with each other, giving up the former narrow-minded principle of nationalism and developing the proper eastern civilisation so as to be the strong forerunner of cosmopolitanism.

The characteristics of the Chinese people may be represented by that saying, "All within the four seas are brethren," which I have just quoted. Therefore, foreigners having settled in China, have a great attachment for our big country and are unable to part from it. This is not merely my own opinion. As to the question of domestic confusion, it is simply an abnoral phenomenon of inferior politics and not to the detriment of the characteristic of our people. China is a big country, full of natural resources and densely populated with people of endurance. Should there be a stable government to avoid such possibilities, the whole world would be well supplied with the products of this one country, not to mention Asia. This is not only beneficial for the whole world. How to attain this lies in the awakening of China and Japan?

The financial condition of China is not difficult to improve. Alas, we have not a good government! As regards the finances of China, I still wish to write a treatise. As it is far from this topic I have just discussed and would occupy much space, I had better wait for another chance.

Finance Committee Meets At Lausanne

(French Wireless)

Paris, June 25.—The Financial Committee at Lausanne met on Monday under the chairmanship of General Pelle in order to examine the agreement which has been made in the course of the plenary meeting between Ismet Pasha and the delegations on various secondary financial points.

The first delegate of Greece brought forth a case where the Powers consented to certain concessions to Turkey under some obligations. Greece, who fought on the side of the Allies, expected to be treated not worse than the Ottoman Empire.

General Pelle replied that there would be no place for a precedent of this sort.

The Financial Committee after that fixed the definitive drawing of the 57th clause of the treaty concerning the settlement of Turkey's indemnities.

It was decided to call on Tuesday the Political Committee which will examine all political and territorial clauses on which an understanding has been reached. This committee has almost completed its work.

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Ladies To Be Admitted To Boxing Stadium Saturday

Two innovations are to be given a tryout at the Stadium boxing bouts this coming Saturday night. In the first place the night for holding the show has been changed from Friday to Saturday, and secondly, ladies are to be admitted for the first time.

The first change was made upon the suggestion of numerous patrons, who sugested that Saturday night would be much better for the bouts, as they would not have to worry about getting to bed early on that evening.

The decision to admit ladies was made after it was seen that boxing, as conducted at the Stadium, constituted a clean sport, and as nothing happened on the boxing nights that have already been held that would constitute a reason for barring the women it was decided to welcome all who desire to come. In this, the management guarantees that nothing objectionable to the most sensitive eyes or ears will take place in the Stadium. Already numerous Chinese women have attended the shows, and all were greatly pleased, apparently, with what they saw there.

Numerous improvements have been made in the Stadium since the last show. The ring, which was a bit high, has been lowered; the exits have been widened and the ventilation arrangements have been improved.

As to the boxing card that is to be offered, this will be a good one. Charlie White and Nick Boyle will clash in the wind-up and as both will be in first class condition the battle promises to be a good one. Several good preliminary bouts have been arranged.

He Boxes Saturday

CHARLIE WHITE

BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

RAIN MARS START OF GREAT BRITISH TENNIS TOURNEY

Thousands Wait In Downpour For International Matches

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 25.—The Wimbledon Lawn-Tennis Championships opened today in dismal weather. Play was timed to start at two o'clock but thousands of people, many of whom had been present before 10 o'clock in the morning, waited in the pouring rain till five o'clock, when the first of the four International center-court matches began.

Mr. Godfree, the British Davis Cup player, defeated the Rumanian, M. Mishu, 4-6, 6-2, 0-6, 6-2, 9-7.

No further play was possible on the center court although a few outer-court matches were finished.

SCHOOL CRICKET

The annual cricket match between the Holy Trinity Cathedral School and the Shanghai Public School is to be held on the Cricket Ground on Friday, next, Commencing at 10.30 a.m. The tiffin given by Mr. Henry Lester for the teams, will be held in the Club pavilion.

Two Hours Cut From Record To Henli By Oarsmen

Another local long distance record was broken last Saturday when a pair-oar boat rowed from the club pontoon at Shanghai to Henli, a distance of 56 miles, in 9 hr. 10 min., the previous best time being 11 hr. 30 min., rowed in 1916.

The crew were Sehweizer and Schlobohm, the same pair who rowed the winning Interport pair for Shanghai last spring at Hongkong, and it is significant to note that, although these men have been in constant training since February, no ill effects were experienced by them when they reached Henli at the completion of their long trip. Rowing, if indulged in methodically, is a most beneficial form of exercise, and has absolutely no ill effects upon the participant. The men left the club on Saturday afternoon at 5.55, on the incoming tide, and reached Henli at 3.10 on Sunday morning, having rowed most of the way by moonlight. The boat was coxed by the club's No. 1 laodah.

WATER POLO

A water polo match has been arranged between members of the Municipal Police and the Electricity Department to take place at the Public Swimming Bath tomorrow evening at 9.15. Sub-Insp. Jones is gathering all the Police swimming experts together and intends to give the Electricity Dept. a good game.

Clay Pigeon Club To Hold Fourth Shoot

On Sunday afternoon members of the Shanghai Clay Pigeon Club shot for the "Ti-Loo" Cup, presented by Mr. I. Tuxford. The conditions were 20 birds Leggett trap and 10 double rises, anl the result were as follows:—

	Score.	H'cap.	Total.
Gibson	35	4	39
Red	34	4	38
Himrod	32	6	38
Morriss	32	6	38
Pirie	30	6¾	36¾
Prince	28	8	36
Tuxford	27	6¾	33¾
Cumming	26	6	32
C. McBain	27	4	31
Bruce	18	8	26
Schwyzer	15	10	25

In the sweep competition which followed, a shoot at 20 each Leggett and Foochow, Himrod won. Gibson being second and Read third.

It is announced that a very interesting competition will take place on Wednesday, July 4. This will be for the Overseas Trophy, kindly presented by Mr. T. E. Doremus who has had it sent out from Seattle.

Scottish Riflemen Beat Hawkins Team

The rifle match between the Shanghai Scottish, S. V. C., and the team from the H. M. S. Hawkins took place at the Rifle Range on Sunday, the conditions being : 200, 500 and 600 yards, one sighter and seven scoring shots at each range, no sitings, no windgauge, service scoring. The light was particularly bad and the scoring suffered in consequence. The Scottish won the match by 12 points, thus winning two out of three matches by a total of 15 points. Scores:

SHANGHAI SCOTTISH

Sgt. P. Campbell	71
Cpl. T. W. R. Wilson	83
Cpl. J. G. B. Dewar	68
Pte. P. G. Tate	77
Pte. B. G. Wilson	74
Pte. K. McKelvie	70
Pte. H. H. Donald	74
Pte. W. G. Cameron	70
Pte. R. Paterson	84
Pte. A. E. Johnson	86
	737
Less 2 lowest scores	132
	605

H. M. S. HAWKINS

P. O. Jenkin	66
Mr. A. J. Harvey	80
C. P. O. J. Power	64
Ldg. Sea S. Trowbridge	73
P. O. T. H. Shenton	76
P. O. W. Marling	86
Mr. W. Morris	77
Mr. W. L. Aris	63
P. O. A. C. Thoday	71
P. O. A. J. Gamby	63
	719
Less 2 lowest scores	126
	593

GOLF RESULTS

The result of the June Monthly Cup Competition played at Kiangwan on Saturday and Sunday (conditions 18 holes Royal Club handicaps) was as follows:

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Third And Fourth Rounds In Hong Tennis Doubles Are Set For This Week

The first and second rounds of the Hong doubles in the Shanghai Lawn Tennis association tournament have been played and the third and fourth rounds are scheduled for this week, the third round to be finished today if not already played, and the fourth round on or before Saturday. The semi final round has been set for Wednesday, July 4, with the date for the final to be announced later.

In connection with this and other tournaments arranged by the Lawn Tennis Association the Secretary has called the attention of competitors to the rules regarding dates on which matches are to be played. It is essential, he says, to fix definite dates for the various rounds and equally essential that those dates should be strictly adhered to. The rules say that if the courts on which it has been arranged to play a match are not available on the day on which the match is to be played, that match must be played on the first day on which those courts are available. Competitors who do not adhere to this rule will be scratched.

Results of the first and second rounds in the Hong Doubles were as follows:

Wythe and Norman (Andersen, Meyer) beat Elliston and Mann (Shewan, Tomes).

Wade and Collaco (Probst, Hanbury) beat Moss and Whitamore (H. B. M. Consulate General).

Elmore and Meise (G. McBain) beat Baines and Khrenoff (Russo-Asiatic Bank).

Barrett and Quayle (S. M. Police) beat Costa and Collaco (H. and S. Bank).

Shibayama and Iwaki (M.B.K.) beat Begg and Miller (L. Moore).

Silva and Oliviera (Yangtsze Insce) w.o. Mansell and Morse (H. and S. Bank).

Gulick and Fawcett (Exchange Brokers) beat Ollerdessen and Woodyard (Fobes Co.).

Read and Brooke (Architects) beat Norton and Taylor (St. John's).

Henriques and Weill (Equitable Eastern Bank) beat Mary and Rozario (Racine and Co.).

Wade and Collaco (Probst, Hanbury) beat Norman and Wythe (Andersen, Meyer).

Leitao and Hawes (Standard Oil) beat Elmore and Meise (G. McBain).

Humphreys and Leslie (A.P.C.) beat Harris and Master (White-Cooper, Master and Harris).

Drummond and Toussaint (Insurance) w.o. Maitland and Nugent (Secretariat, S. M. C.).

Roach and Knight (S. M. C. Electricity) beat Manning and Kent (Eastern Extn. Telegraph).

Ikada and Bau (M.B.K.) beat Sullivan and Lawson (Phoenix Assce).

Roberts and Roberts (St. John's) w.o. Sheldon and Kay (Fearon, Daniel).

Ganahl and Bogle (Robert Dollar Co.) w.o. Stewart and Cobbett (Maitland and Co.)

Hatherley and Ollerdessen (Stock Exchange) beat Forbes-Caie and Goolden (S. M. C. Electricity).

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Kuling American School's Commencement Program

The commencement festivities of the Kuling American School formed a very pleasing series of events extending over several days, states the Kuling Bulletin of June 91.

The first event on the program was a play by the pupils of the school, "The Man on the Box." Owing to the fact that one of the students in the cast had to leave Kuling in order to sit for the college entrance examinations at Shanghai, the play was given on the evening of June 14, preceding the term examinations. The examinations closed on Saturday morning, the 17th, and in the afternoon and evening the pupils of the Music Department gave recitals.

Monday afternoon a large crowd gathered on the school campus to witness the field day drills. These consisted of dumb-bell drills by selected pupils from the gymnasium classes, May pole dance and ring drill by the older girls and doll drill by the girls of the primary department. Following the field day exercises the Camp Fire Girls danced, dressed in their ceremonial gowns. All events of the afternoon were under the direction of Miss Jean Morrison the school trained nurse and physical director for girls.

Tuesday evening, in the school auditorium, the pupils of the Primary Department gave a very amusing and entertaining performance in the nature of a doll sale, where different pupils, dressed as dolls, were paraded in automation fashion before a doting mother whose little son much preferred a drum to any doll, and greatly objected to his mother's efforts to stifle his masculine desire. Miss Hart and Miss Mandell of the Primary Department staged this very delightful little play.

Following this performance, the pupils of the high school department held the annual declamation contest. All first and second year high school pupils are required as a part of their English work to memorise and give in an annual contest a speech of recognised literary excellence. Pupils above the second year are required to write, memorise and give in this contest an original oration. First place in this contest was awarded to Elizabeth Goddard, a first year high school pupil who gave a speech by the late American orator, Henry Grady, entitled "The Strength of the Republic." A copy of Shakespeare's complete works in Morocco cover was given as a prize to the winner. Charlotte Littell was awarded second place and Maud Maslin third.

Wednesday morning at half past ten o'clock in the Kuling Auditorium the graduating exercises were held. Following "The Pilgrim Chorus," sung by the pupils of the school, Rev. Henry A. MacKubbin a retired Presbyterian clergyman of Philadelphia, Pa., who with his wife, is visiting their daughter, a missionary in the American Presbyterian Mission, gave the commencement address. Mr. MacKubbins' talk was of inspiring nature. To the question of the purpose of an education he stated that in his opinion every pupil should have as his or her ideal the learning of four essentials: to think, to work, to behave, and to love and reverence one's country.

Headmaster A. H. Stone gave a brief summary of the year's work followed by an announcement of honors and awarding of prizes and diplomas. Three pupils achieved the high distinction of making the first honor roll to accomplish which necessitates a pupil's attaining for a yearly average in each required subject a grade of 90 or above. These pupils are Albert Nolting, a fifth grade pupil, with an average of 95; Charlotte Littell first year high school, 92 4-7; and Jerome Nelson, eighth grade, 92. Five pupils succeeded in making the second honor roll which requires one to have a combined average of 90 or above for all required subjects. William Johnson eighth grade, had the highest average with a grade of 93 1-7. The other pupils on this roll are Philip Maslin, 92; Tracy Logan, 90; Elizabeth Kemp 90, and Harold Chiwicks, 90.

Diplomas were awarded to the following eighth grade graduates: Esther Ranck, Kuling; Esther Keller, Yochow; Valentina Tourchinsky, Hankow; Jerome Nelson, Kingchow; and William Johnson, Nanchang.

Charlotte Littell was awarded the annual scholarship in music given by the Loh San Camp Fire girls, this being awarded to the pupil who at the same time does the highest grade of work in the Music Department and satisfactory work in all other departments. She was also presented with a beautiful ivory picture frame, this being a gift from a friend of the school to the girl who by vote of student body and faculty is deemed to be the best all round girl and to have done more to uphold the standards of the school.

The exercises closed with the selection "Italia" by the school chorus, followed by the school song.

A Five-Days' Week

Mr. Henry Ford is quoted by Mr. Allan Benson:—

"The best way to be kind to people is to help them to help themselves. That is what I am trying to do. And I am trying to do things that will stick because they are too good to be brushed away. In March, 1922, for instance, we inaugurated the five-day week at Highland Park. Some people will say that I did this only to help myself—that by letting our thousands of men rest two days a week they will work harder and produce more the rest of the week. That is true. In this sense, we did do this for our own benefit. But is that all there is to the story? By no means. There is a great deal more to it than that. We have taken the first step toward cutting a week's work to five days throughout the world. Isn't that of vastly more social significance than the fact that the plan is also better for us? Don't think that the five-day week is going to stop at Highland Park. That is where it began, but it will not stop until it circles the globe. Workingmen read the papers. They know what is going on everywhere. They are talking and thinking about what we have done. They can't be told in one breath that we did this to make more money, and in the next breath that their employers could not do it without losing money. They are going to keep on thinking until they compel their employers to think. Then everybody wil have a five-day week.

"Life cannot be what it should be and what it will be until birth means for most people something more than a hard struggle until death. Work is good for us and we should work. But we should also have time for home and for recreation.

"It is not necessary to work all the time to produce the things we want. A hundred years ago large numbers of people in England worked 16 hours a day, seven days a week, and there are still some in the United States who never have a day of rest. It is not necessary to work even six days a week. What good is machinery if it does nothing to lighten our burdens?

"One reason the world has moved forward so slowly is because the people have been deadened with too much work. Thinking is the only thing that gets us ahead. Of course if a man's work is congenial he can think at his work, but most of them can't. If so, the greater is the reason for the five-day week. The world was made for all of us instead of for some of us, and things must be arranged to fit the average human being."

STEAMER LOST ?

(Reuter's Service)

Durban, June 26.—The Captain of the steamer, Barrabool, which has been searching for the steamer, Trevessa, arrived here today and reported that only one boat was found. He expressed the opinion that the Trevessa's cargo of pigiron started the plates and caused her to founder.

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Shanghai Lodge Celebrates Its Fourth Anniversary

The Shanghai Lodge of the Theosophical Society celebrated its fourth anniversary yesterday. The reports of the Secretary, Treasurer, Book Steward, and Librarian were called in, all of which testified to a successful and gratifying year in the history of the Lodge.

The Vice-President, Miss Dorothy Arnold, summarised the work of the closing year, and commented on the spread of the Theosophical movement in the Orient, growing as it did from one Lodge with a charter membership of thirteen in 1919 to a total of six Lodges, with a more than proportionate increase in members, there being over fifty in Shanghai alone.

The election of officers for the ensuing year then took place, the following officers being announced:

President—Mr. A. Horne, B. Sc.
Vice-President — Miss Dorothy Arnold.
Secretary—Mr. G. F. L. Harrison.
Librarian—Miss L. Nobiston.
Book-Steward—Mrs. A. Horne.

In his opening address, Mr. Horne said, in part:

"Among all the qualities that a Lodge must possess, among all the factors that lie at the bottom of its success, among all the forces that carry it irresistibly onwards in the march of progress, there is one principle that stands out, without which all else will fail, and that principle is Brotherhood. Brotherhood is the strongest force we have at our command, for the welfare of the Lodge, and it is at the same time the greatest benefit we hold out to the world as a whole.

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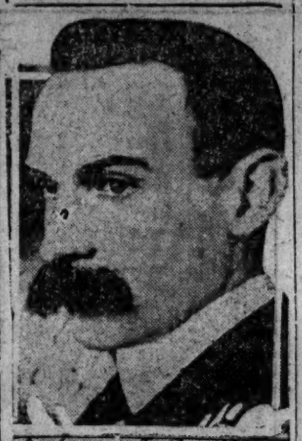
"Into a world torn with conflicting national interests, we have come with a message of the purpose of life, and the part that every nation has to play in that purpose, with the teaching that every nation, great or small, weak or strong, has a note to sound in the symphony of civilisation, and that all men are brothers, sharing the same divine life, working forwards to the same goal, the same spiritual ideal.

"Into a world, again, torn by religious bigotry and narrow-mindedness, internal strife and mutual persecution, open or hidden, we have come to reassert the old, old truth of the essential unity of all religions; that all creeds are but the offshoots of the same divine inspiration, that they all contain a fragment of Truth suited in every case to the needs and psychology of the people, and that our duty is therefore to seek for the kernel of truth in our sister-religions, rather than to emphasise the husk of superstition and human invention.

"Theosophy has performed a great service in the latter respect, as it has bound together the fragments of truth scattered throughout all creeds and all ages, and has given it to the world in a form that appeals at once to the reason and spiritual insight of man."

$50,000 Reward For Small Is Now Renewed


Ambrose J. Small

THE offer of a reward of $50,000 for information leading to the finding of Ambrose J. Small, multi-millionaire Toronto (Canada) theatrical manager who disappeared without leaving a trace, in 1919, has been extended to December 31, 1924. This includes a reward of $15,000 offered for the discovery of his body, if dead. Canadian courts recently refused to declare Small legally dead, and his estate cannot be wound up. He has been reported found in many parts of the world, but all the rumors proved untrue.

ENVOY RECEIVED

(Reuter's Service)

Constantinople, June 25.—Mustapha Kemal Pasha today received Mr. Ochida, the Japanese envoy to Angora.

EMPIRE CONFERENCE

(Reuter's Service)

London, June 25.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Sir John Norton-Griffiths, Conservative Member for Wandsworth, Mr. Ormsby-Gore, the Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, said that he would represent at the Imperial Economic Conference the Colonies and Protectorates, including the smaller islands.

It was not proposed that mandated territories should be separately represented, but if questions affecting them arose he would do his best to safeguard their interests.

CROSS RATE

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, June 25.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at £1=74.65 francs.

Blood Hound Is Quick Tracker Of Three Robbers

Three hours after three Chinese robbed a house on Singapore Road, Sunday morning, retribution had overtaken them in the shape of a blood hound and a squad of Police. The robbery took place at 12:45 a.m. and the Bubbling Well Station was notified. The Sergeant in Charge communicated with Assistant Commissioner of Police M. O. Springfield and requested that his blood hound be brought into action.

At 2 o'clock the chase was on, the hound quickly picking up the scent of the men. It set out in the direction of Robinson Road. The chase proceeded outside the Settlement, but the police kept on and were led by the hound to a lonely house where they found the three men and the loot.

At 3:30 o'clock in the morning the men, escorted by Commissioner Springfield, Police Constable T. F. H. Robinson and the blood hound reached the station where the men were held until they could be turned over to the Chinese authorities.

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The American Creed

The most important of considerations in any attempt to pass judgment upon social systems is whether we maintain within them permanent and continuous motivation toward progress. These forces must be of two orders, one spiritual and the other economic.

We may discover the situation in our own social system either by an analysis of the forces that are today in motion or by noting the [illegible] of progress over the century or over the last ten years. By a consideration of the forces that move us we can see whether our system shows signs of decay whether its virility is maintained.

If we should survey the fundamentals of our civilisation from the point of view of its progress by the test of time, we can find much for satisfaction and assurance. It is unnecessary to recount the values of economic individualism in stimulation to invention; large constructive vision, intensity in production with decreased physical effort, our increased standards of living and comfort. It is, of course, easy to enumerate our great economic progress, but the progress of the social forces that will sustain economic progress is infinitely more important.

Education in its many phases has made much advance. The actual equipment, the character of instruction, the numbers reached, period of instruction, show improvement with every decade. Public opinion has become of steadily increasing potency and reliability in its reaction. The great strides in development of processes and equipment for production and distribution are being followed by increasing devotion to the human factors in their execution. Moral standards of business and commerce are improving, vicious city governments are less in number, invisible government has greatly diminished, public conscience is penetrating deeper and deeper, the rooting up of wrong grows more vigorous, the agencies for their exposure and remedy grow more numerous, and above all is the growing sense of service.

Many people confuse the exposure of wrongs which were below the surface with degeneration: their very exposure is progress. Some accredit the exposures of failure in our government and business as evidence of standards of a lower order than in some other nations. A considerable experience leads me to the conviction that while we do wash our dirty linen in public most others never wash it.

It is easy to arrange any existing institution. Men can rightly be critical because things have happened that never ought to happen. That our social system contains faults no one disputes. One can recite the faulty results of our system at great length, the spirit of lawlessness, the uncertainty of employment in some callings, the deadening effect of certain repetitive processes of manufacture, the twelve-hour day in a few industries, unequal voice in bargaining for wage in some employment, arrogant domination by some employers and some labor leaders, child labor in some states, inadequate instruction in some industries, some fortunes excessive far beyond the needs of stimulation to initiative, survivals of religious intolerance, political debauchery of some cities, weaknesses in our governmental structure. Most of these occur locally in certain regions and certain industries and must cause every thinking person to regret and to endeavor. But they are becoming steadily more local. That they are recognised and condemned is a long way on the road to progress.

One of the difficulties in social thought is to find the balance of perspective. A single crime does not mean a criminal community. It is easy to point out undernourished, overworked, uneducated children, children barred from the equality of opportunity that our ideals stand for. It is easy to point out the luxurious, petted and spoiled children with favored opportunity in every community. But if we take the whole thirty-five millions of children of the United States it would be a gross exaggeration to say that a million of them suffer from any of these injustices. This is indeed a million too many but it is the thirty-four millions that test the system with the additional touchstone of whether there are forces in motivation which are insistently and carefully working for the amelioration of the one million. Its by-products of endowed loafers or hoodlums at respective ends of the economic scale, are indeed spectacular faults. Yet any analysis of the 105,000 of us would show that we harbor less than a million of either rich or impecunious loafers.

If we measure our people by scales of other civilised peoples we also find consolation. We have a distaste for the very expression of "class," but if we would use European scales of "classes" we would find that above their scale of "lower classes" we have in equivalent comfort, morality, understanding and intelligence fully 80 percent of our native-born whites. No European state will lay claim to 30 percent of this order. Does this not mean that we have been gaining something.

I do not conceive that any man, or body of men, could ever be capable of drafting a plan that would solve these multiple difficulties in advance. Moreover if we continue to advance we will find new difficulties as the by-product of progress—but to be overcome.

The Triumph of "Insulin"

BY DR. C. W. SALEEBY

After lecturing on another subject to some of the medical students in the University of Toronto last autumn, I found them all agog, as well they might be, about rightly proud that the discovery, made in its Physiological Department, of a remedy for diabetes; and, a few days later, came the news that the University of Philadelphia had tested and confirmed all the Canadian findings.

We had already heard tell of the Toronto work in England, and some of our senior teachers were rightly proud that the discoverers had been amongst their pupils. Small quantities of "insulin," the new remedy, were duly studied here, and now, at long last, it is on the market in all reasonable quantities, for the amazing relief and salvation of sufferers from the remarkable and formidable disease which claims so many victims in modern prosperous communities.

A PRECIOUS PRODUCT

The gland called the pancreas not only produces the pancreatic juice for digestive purposes, but contains "islands" of cells, as their discoverer in the nineteenth century called them, which produce something that enables us to burn up properly the sugar in the blood. After decades of disappointment, the young workers in Toronto have succeeded in obtaining the precious product of these islands in an active form, and they accordingly call it "insulin."

Already we knew that the thyroid gland of the sheep, for instance, is worth far more to mankind than all the mutton on earth, and now we learn that the pancreas of sheep or ox, which the butcher may sell to us as "sweetbread," can do for us what beef is helpless to achieve.

The preparation of the internal secretion of this gland is difficult and costly, and the remedy is powerful and needs responsible use.

The University of Toronto therefore took the step, unprecedented in such a case, of patenting insulin—not for the ordinary commercial reasons, but for the highest reasons of the public interest. Our own Medical Research Council, a creation of the Insurance Act, and one for which I never cease to bless the name of Mr. Lloyd George, has now added to its many useful functions that of taking charge of the production and distribution of insulin in England.

NO LUXURY USE

The supply is not yet large, and I note with great satisfaction a regulation laid down by the Medical Research Council. There are many persons who are quite well so long as they avoid starch and sugar, but if they consume foods containing those things the symptoms of diabetes will appear.

Many such persons are well-to-do—this is a disease principally of the well-to-do—and they would gladly pay half a crown a dose for insulin for the satisfaction of eating what they please. Meanwhile, persons lying in the shadow of death from diabetic coma might be lost for lack of the dose which a wealthy gourmand had appropriated. Until there is insulin for all, the M.R.C. have forbidden its "luxury use," and we must applaud that humane prohibition.

TO MEET TOMORROW

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London.—Pilots and others projecting flights round the world are keeping details of their plans secret. There is a natural desire to be first; and the knowledge and experience that go to the selection of a particular type of aeroplane and its equipment, and of routes and methods, to say nothing of arrangements for supplies, are not to be given out to the world, for the possible benefit of rivals, until all is ready.

A belief is being fostered that nobody will start this year; and, of course, it is already almost too late for a start before the autumn; but it is almost certain that at least one expedition will start next October, and there is a possibility of a surprise this spring.

As to other countries, those two Portuguese veterans, Commander Cabral and Commander Coutinho, who flew the South Atlantic last year, are expected to begin their world flight almost immediately; and the French mission of five aeroplanes, which was to have started last month, may set out any day.

Sir Keith Smith is making arrangements, and is believed to have the backing of Messrs. Vickers. Alan Cobham, one of the five greater longtour pilots, who has an unapproached experience of flying over Europe, and who has lately been flying in Egypt and far up the Nile, will use on his world attempt a De Havilland 9 fitted with a 240 horsepower Siddeley engine and furnished with special floats designed and made by Short Brothers. He will be accompanied, in all probability, by Commander Mackenzie Grieve, who was with Harry Hawker on his adventurous attempt to cross the Atlantic.

Capt. Norman Macmillan, a remarkably sound pilot, who is also a brilliant mechanic, is making preparations for an attempt in which he will be accompanied by Captain Malins, and by a reserve pilot who at the moment of writing has not been selected. The machine, as to which great secrecy is being maintained, is being specially built and is almost completed. It embodies new and remarkable features.

Slightly diverging from the route projected by Sir Ross Smith, Captain Macmillan will cover the last stretch, from North America to Great Britain, by way of Greenland and Iceland. A special ship is being fitted out to establish dumps of petrol and stores at points 200 miles apart in the Aleutian and Kuril islands. There will be no attempt to do the journey in quick time, but the stages will be dictated by meteorological conditions.

Captain Macmillan has, of course, the advantage of experience gained in one failure. He was the pilot and mechanic, and to a great extent the navigator of the expedition that started from England in May, 1922. He and his companion Captain Malins, came to grief in the Bay of Bengal and were picked up in the nick of time by a steamer. They had, however, crossed India through the monsoon; and Captain Malins obtained some unique pictures of storm and rain.

The organiser of this attempt was Maj. W. T. Blake, who had to leave the party on the way across India and go to hospital. Captain Macmillan being of a very retiring disposition, very little was heard of his work in this expedition. The son of a Glasgow tool founder, he was given a technical education, and was employed by a chemical firm. He went to the front with the Glasgow Highlanders, and served with distinction, winning a commission, and later on transferred to the flying service in which he took part in war in the air both in France and in Italy. He compiled the war history of the Glasgow Highlanders.

Bulgarian Woman Is High Diplomat

Miss Nadejda Stancioff.

MISS Nadejda Stancioff, daughter of the Bulgarian Minister to London, was the first of her countrywomen to adopt diplomacy as a life career. She has been placed in complete charge of the Bulgarian Embassy, in London, while her father and the First Secretary are attending the Near East Peace Conference at Lausanne, Switzerland.

The Lincheng Movies And "Thin Skins"

The enterprising management of a cinema, located in a certain foreign concession, secured for exhibition some films depicting the Lincheng outrage and advertised them. This brought the matter to the notice of the Chinese Commissioner of Foreign Affairs who at once wrote to the Consul of that concession requesting that these pictures should not be shown, and the Consul interdicted the show accordingly. The management protested saying there was nothing objectionable in the pictures, which had already been exhibited in Shanghai and other places without giving offence. At the time of the outrage it was impossible to take pictures, because it occurred in the dead of the night and the operator was not there. By the time he arrived the bandits and their captives were over the hills and far away, but the wrecked train remained with other traces of bandit handiwork. Pictures of these had been secured and views of the district and people. The management suggested that the pictures should be seen before being condemned, and a private exhibition was accordingly arranged with the result that the show was given last night at the Empire Cinema.

This story is interesting as accounting for the fact that, although the bandits captured eight Chinese passengers from that train for every foreigner who fell into their hands, the native Press has had practically nothing to say about the matter. Although great, and ultimately successful, efforts were made to rescue the foreigners the Chinese victims were left to the tender mercies of the bandits, and still the native Press had nothing to say which might have helped to stir up an interest in their own people. The explanation is that reference to the affair, whither in print or in picture, is officially forbidden. This brings up the question as to whether it is the business of foreign officials to enforce such prohibitions. It will be remembered how, during the war cinema shows of the devastations wrought in a certain country by the enemy were frequently on the bill of fare, through official assistance, but now when the devastation is effected by the Chinese, and foreigners are the sufferers no pictures of it must be allowed to appear—it is a strange story.

Last week in a great city in Hunan a Chinese play was given on the premises of a certain American Mission with the permission of the Mission authorities, and specal invitations were sent to the foreigners to attend. It had apparently been arranged by the student patriots who are running the Japanese boycott movement, and proved to be a play designed to illustrate the alleged enormities perpetrated by the Japanese on the Korean people. Japanese soldiers were shown engaged in shooting, bayonetting, and killing in all sort of ways, unarmed and inoffensive Koreans till the foreigners present felt sick. The object of the performance was to stir up the people against the Japanese and it was certainly no part of the missionaries' duty to lend a hand in any such proceeding. Perhaps in the innocency and simplicity of their minds they did not know what they had been let in for, or perhaps they were in sympathy—they will know best themselves. The point here is the boldness and impudence of the Chinese agitators in securing foreign support for such a business. The same plays have been attempted in the native theaters in the Hankow foreign concessions, but never allowed. The Chinese people are to learn nothing about attacks upon foreigners in their own country, but everything which is untrue about the aggressions of the Japanese on the people of another country, and it is all very strange.

In another city, when the students of a mission school proposed to leave their studies and devote their time to the boycott movement, the Principal gave them his blessing and let them go, but of this we have only heard of one instance. Most likely he could not have prevented their going anyhow, as will be readily understood from a most interesting account, from the pen of another Principal of a mission school, which we print today. He did his best to hold his students and failed. The writer further raised the question as to who is responsible for stirring up the students, and leading them to defy the authority of parents and teachers. He says this is the work of agitators, but throws no light upon where they come from or who employs them. We would venture to suggest that it is the same parties who are found to be muzzling the Press, and restricting the cinemas, namely, the men who are at present in power in China.

One of these is Wu Pei-fu who sent out a furious telegram about the Changsha business, not to advise the students to behave themselves but to do everything in their power to bring the Japanese offenders to justice. Another is Feng Yu-hsiang, the Christian General. In addition to being a Christian of the kind who never seeks to hide his light under a bushel, he is a super-patriot in the Chinese sense of the term—that is, he is strongly anti-foreign. During the short time he acted as Tuchun at Kaifeng he had the walls of the Tuchun Yamen embellished with pictures of the aggressions made on China by foreigners beginning as far away back as the days of John Company and carrying down to the times of the Japanese in Shantung. All foreign nations alike got a showing up, and the object of the panorama was to stimulate the patriotic ardour of the Honan people. On Humiliation Day he turned out his troops and marched them through Peking carrying little white flags denouncing the Japanese. It is a strange story but quite true.

These are the two strongest men in China and such being their attitude, it is easy to understand how the lesser men readily fall into line. "If the bottle is square the water is square, and if the bottle is round the water is round." It will be a miracle if the present movement does not end up in a clash with Japan, for it has been already officially intimated the Japanese are not prepared to put up with it lying down. Should the clash occur—and no one will have the right to interfere to prevent it—Japan will become more firmly established in China than ever she was. This may drag in other nations much against their will, and meanwhile the diplomats in Peking continue to drift along doing nothing. Of all tales that are told this is the strangest. —Central China Post.

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Crisp Group Loan Terms Announced

Peking, June 25.—According to an authoritative report, the Crisp Group, which has been negotiating with the Government authorities for a loan to the amount of £10,000,000, has made the following counter-proposals:

1.—Half of the loan to be paid in old Chinese loan bonds held by British and American interests, and the balance to be paid in cash.

2.—An advance payment of £1,000,000 in cash to be made.

3.—The loan to bear an interest of eight percent per annum.

4.—The loan to be issued at 90.

5.—The loan to be secured on the Customs and Salt surpluses.

6.—The loan to be first approved by Parliament.

7.—On the date of the signature of the loan agreement, a sum of £500,000 to be paid. The disbursements of this amount to be as follows.

a.—£300,000 for Parliamentary expenses in connection with the drafting of a permanent Constitution.

b.—£100,000 for Chinese Legation expenses.

c.—£100,000 for payment of military and gendarmes in Peking.

8.—A further sum of £500,000 to be paid in September. The disbursements to be decided upon by Parliament but to be limited to the items mentioned above, and in addition, to the payment of the Chinese government students abroad.

9.—The balance to be paid by instalments, when the loan bonds are disposed of.

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French Observe Verdun Anniversary

Paris, June 25.—The seventh anniversary of the Verdun victory was celebrated on Monday in the presence of delegations of French and Belgian armies.

Marshal Joffre, representing the Government, paid homage to those who valiantly supported the burden of the responsibility of the struggle, Generals Petain, Nivelle, Mangin, of whose soldiers Republican France has justly a right to be proud and to all the population who with all their love and all their faith maintained the defenders.

Paris Worried By High Prices

Paris, June 21.—The favorite topic of conversation in Paris, the high cost of living, displaced from time to time by the changing situation in the Ruhr, never is long neglected. Today it is flourishing. The vanguard of the 1923 crop of American tourists is here, and the retailers of the city are playing the game with the limit removed; any price goes.

But the truth of the situation is hard to determine. There arrived recently from the coast two heavy consignments of sea food, lobsters and cod. The lobsters were seized upon at 15 francs a pound, and the stalls quickly cleared. Nobody wanted the humble cod, at three francs a pound, and several thousand pounds had to be thrown away.

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LINER JEFFERSON TO SAIL SATURDAY WITH U. S. MAILS

Mail Coming On Empress And Taiyo Same Day

The next mail for the United States will be dispatched on the President Jefferson next Saturday, and will close at 7 a.m. Saturday. Registered should be posted before 9 p.m. Friday.

The Jefferson will arrive in Shanghai from Hongkong Friday about noon, and is to dock at the Standard Oil Wharf, Pootung. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty at 2.30 p.m. The vessel is sailing for Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama Saturday morning, and the outgoing passenger tender will leave the Customs jetty at 9 o'clock.

Mail from America is due on the Empress of Asia next Saturday, and the Taiyo Maru is also expected to arrive at Woosung from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports the same day. The Asia arrived at Yokohama from Vancouver yesterday morning.

Following the sailing of the Sicilia this morning, the next mail for Europe via the Suez will go on the Chili, July 6. The Sicilia goes to Bombay, and mail matter is to be transhipped at that port to the steamer Plassy, which is due to arrive in Marseilles on August 5.

Two mail boats from Europe are arriving in the first week of July. They are the Khiva, which comes from London and was expected to leave Singapore at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, about July 4, and the Angkor on July 7. The Angkor should at Saigon from Marseilles and ports tomorrow.

The President Grant which arrived from Seattle last Sunday, sailed for Hongkong and Manila at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and will return to Shanghai on July 11. The liner is to sail for Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama on its homebound voyage, July 12.

Roanoke College Confers Degree On Mr. Kinsic Kimm

Mr. Kinsic Kimm, at present dean of Williams College and formerly a member of the Korean Provisional Government, has received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Roanoke College, Salum, Virginia, according to word just received here. The honor was conferred on June 5.

Mr. Kimm received his B. A. degree from Roanoke in 1903 and was prominent in educational work in Korea for many years. In 1919 he headed the Korean Delegation to the Paris Peace Conference and later served as Chairman of the Korean Commission to America and Europe with headquarters in Washington D. C.

NEW MAYOR

(French Wireless)

Paris, June 25.—The Paris Municipal Council has elected M. Georges Lalou as President. He was for 4 years the general reporter on the budget of the town of Paris.

They were sitting round the family tea-table—little Norah, Mary, and Margaret and their parents. The conversation turned on the Irish language, and little Norah asked her papa what her name was in Irish.

"Noreen," said her papa.

"And what is mine?" said Mary.

"Maureen," said papa.

"And what is mine?" said Maggie.

"Oh," said papa, "I don't know what yours is."

"Well," said she, "if Nora is Noreen, and Mary is Maureen, why I must be Margarine."

"Which do you like best, mamma—Mozart or Beethoven?"

"Why, I like Beethoven best, I think."

"I'm so glad, for I've just broken the bust of Mozart that was in the parlour."

"I must have been born unlucky."

"What makes you say that?"

"Well, for instance, I went to a Rugby football match once. There were thirty players on the field, a couple of thousand on the benches, ten thousand in the grand stand, and the ball hit me."

Underwood And M'Adoo May Seek Nomination

ACCORDING to reports from Washington, United States Senator Oscar Underwood of Alabama, will toss his hat into the ring for the Democratic nomination for the Presidency when he returns from his European tour, some time next month. His chief opponent for the nomination, it is reported, will be William Gibbs McAdoo, son-in-law of Woodrow Wilson.

Confessions Of A Conan Doyle Convert

This morning I went out to see about the leak in the garage water pipe, when I became at once aware of a couple of giants sitting on the fence. I had noticed them hanging around but supposed they might be traveling north, as I understand that this time of year practically all giants migrate as far as Quebec. They seemed, however, in no sort of hurry, so, after nodding, I said to one of them:

"Going North?"

"No," he replied, shaking his head (he must have been fully twelve feet high); "we are just waiting."

"Waiting—for what?"

Here the other giant chimed in. He seemed a bit livelier. At any rate, he had energetically whittled quite a large area out of the fence with a long sort of astral knife.

"Why, there's going to be a convention."

"A convention! Where?"

"Here. We've selected your place because it is quiet and roomy, it has the kind of trees that the fairies like to roam about among."

Just as he said this I happened to glance around and there was a whole troop of gnomes sneaking in through the oda.

"By Saint Christobel!" cried the head gnome "but we're glad to get here. Not bad!" he said, looking around "Plenty of places to skip; first thing I am going to do is jump in among those gardenias." In a jiffy all those gnomes were diving about everywhere.

More giants were coming. Their vast forms loomed mightily through the branches. And sprites! Evidently we were in for a regular riot. I fled to the house. My wife was sitting in the living room, overlooking the rear garden.

"Look out there!" I exclaimed hotly, "and see what you've brought on us."

She uttered a scream as she gazed through the window.

"Why, the whole place is full of 'em!" she cried. "What does it mean?"

"It means that they are having a convention. I fancy it's a sort of Genoa conference. They probably want to settle something they think important. And they are using us. They'll wreck the whole place. Look at those gnomes, and what they are doing to the gardenias! There won't be a bulb left. And my fence. . . . Its your fault," I burst out. "You would go to hear Conan Doyle. You would insist upon our developing our spiritual insight. . . . We are ruined." . . .

My wife dropped "Raymond" like a hot coal.

"Stimitz!" she gasped. "Quick! We must reach him. He is the only one who can save us. Get the car!"

Queer I hadn't thought of Stimitz, who is, if not the greatest, one of the near-greatest psychologists of the age. And, fortunately, we were on intimate terms with him.

I rushed out through the yard, past a solid phalanx of twenty giants or more, brushed off a sextet of dwarfs and started the car back to the porte-cochere. My wife jumped in. . . . Stimitz was just leaving his office.

"We've been Conandoyled," said my wife calmly. "We see everything! There are a couple of giants and four fairies and a whole regiment of sprites going by now," she went on, hergesheiming out of the window. "And they are going to our place. They are all having a convention there."

Stimitz grinned, while he brought over a couple of silverised things that looked like searchlights.

"Don't worry," he observed. "I can fix you up in no time. All you need is to have your psychic senses removed. This will do it. Absolutely painless."

There was a silence and a snap. Simultaneously my wife and I looked out of the window. The giants, the fairies, the sprites, had all disappeared. Cured!

"No charge,' said Stimitz, "to old friends. But I'll take you on this afternoon at a dollar a hole, and do you up."

When we got back to the house everything was as it had been. The hole in the fence was gone. The gardenias looked fit.

"Well, dear," I said, lighting a Gamaliel stogie, "I suppose they are really there even if we don't see them."

"Don't get that way," said my wife. "Remember that we've learned something, and that is that if you are really looking for trouble you are pretty apt to find it."

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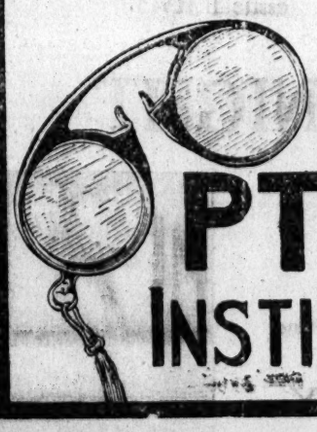

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Oberon eats his moon-parched grain of pourest wheat and has little fuzz-ball pudding at his mushroom table; the six-winged Raphael, passing in gloribus shape from heaven to earth, is an excellent trencher of man. "To taste think not I shall be nice," says he when Eve sets "savoury fruits and nectarous draughts" before him, and falls to "with keen dispatch of real hunger." No repast is too fantastic or too humble to be chronicled. One page of the Miscellany of Meals that this anthology-loving age has still to make will describe lovers' fare—the feast of the Eve of St. Agnes—

On golden dishes and in baskets bright
Of wreathed silver;

the next a tasty repast of rabbiple, brown bread, and beer, or sausages sizzling in a frying-pan in a thieves' den.

STAGE MEALS

There are, of course, no really interesting stage meals. A fictitious feast described in words titillates the senses, shaped in substance it repels them. "The best material for soup is sawdust or Birdseed. . . . A fowl may be sculptured from a stale loaf of brown bread and made to steam by pouring boiling water over it. . . . Cold tea in various degrees of dilution will serve for most liquors, but if red wine is required water may be safely colored with the red coloring matter used by confectioners."

Thus an authority on stage-craft and contrivance. Small wonder that an air of deep melancholy brooded over those breakfasts and dinners on which the curtain of the Repertory Theater rather often rose. But not even the modern stage has suggested such cold comfort as the out-of-door lyric of Stevenson's which describes the poy of

Bed in the bush with stars to see
Bread I dip in the river——

Surely that stands as the most miserable meal in fiction, poetic or other.

It is prose fiction that gives the most delicious, solid, convincing meals. One of the characteristics of the post-war novel is its concern with hotel and restaurant. All that we dreamed of in the period of the coupon and the queue is realised in pages which we turn with a sort of reverence. Never have the meals of fiction been quite so good and so expensive; never before has it been possible to compile a menu for a really impressive little dinner from the pages of romance.

The meal is a costly one; it must be eaten in a fashionable and sumptuous restaurant. Gone is the vogue of that young man who tramped about end-of-the-century fiction, and ate bread and cheese and drank extraordinarily good beer in extraordinarily perfect survivals of the seventeenth century inn; gone is the bohemianism of the early twentieth century—

My dear, what dinners we have had,
What cigarettes and wine
In faded corners of Soho.
Your fingers touching mine.

LACK GASTRONOMIC GUSTO

The most enjoyable meals are eaten in the books of men. There is a good dinner in Miss Rebecca West's last book—but one heroine doesn't appreciate its points, and the other very charmingly spoils her own meal in order to let her little daughter-in-law-to-be keep up her pose as a woman of the world. The episode of Mrs. Yaverland's pretending that the wine is corked and ordering "two lemon squashes, one very sweet," might be printed in a book of courtesy; it makes the meal a memorable one. But what woman writer has described a good meal for its own sake?

Where in the pages of the female novelists of the nineteenth century is to be found a repast worthy to be put by that breakfast with which Louis XI of France entertains young Quentin Durward, that supper beer and oysters Kit stands his family after their night out at the theater, that "high tea" which the Snagsbys set before Mr. Chadband? What woman could write a classic in praise of roast pork, or give a Dr. Middleton a chapter like that famous one in "The Egoist" on an aged and great wine? Gastronomic gusto the woman writer lacks, at least in print; what she is acquainted with, even if she does not share it is the housewifely instinct. The preparation of the meal, its serving-up, regrettable incidents that may occur during its progress concern her more intimately than its actual consumption.

To a modern woman a decorative effect makes a strong appeal. Katherine Mansfield described parties with the pleasure in ice-puddings and cream puffs and flagged sandwiches and pastries—"little freaks, little inspirations, little melting dreams"—that Charles Dickens found in a sirloin and a roast fowl, bacon and ale, and a large bowl of punch. But somehow the pangs of hearty appetite, the savor of hearty appreciation, are lacking.

Main Street Of Shelby, Shelby Y.M.C.A. And Others

HERE, on the Main street of Shelby, Montana, with his eyes gazing on oil wells all around him, Jack Dempsey will be welcomed by Mayor James A. Johnson when he reaches that little town for his July 4 fight with Tom Gibbons for the world's heavyweight championship. The bout is being promoted by Loy Molumby, Commander of the American Legion, in Montana. Dempsey probably will train in the Shelby Y.M.C.A.

The Lincheng Recommendations

By H. T. Wong

Since the publication of the recommendations made to the United States Government by the two local American organisations, considerable comment has been going around in Chinese circles. As an instance of their disapproval of the recommendations, the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce has voiced its opinion and the Chinese Bankers Association has followed suit. It is evident that there is something wrong in these recommendations.

The Chinese people are condemning the Lincheng affair as vigorously as their foreign friends. In this, they have a common grievance for which all demand redress. The American organisations have simply taken the lead in urging their own government to adopt drastic measures. But right here a very important point is involved, which the American organisations as well as many foreigners of other nationalities seem to have overlooked. It is the question of justice.

To any unbiased foreign observer of the political situation in China, it is definitely clear that the Northern government is responsible for the Lincheng hold-up. As a criminal shall be punished for his crime, so that government shall be dealt with. Now we come to the question of penalty. The penalty recommended by the American organisations was principally the suspension of the privileges accruing to China from the Washington Conference. While this would be a justifiable penalty had these privileges only affected the small circle of militarists and politicians in the North, it would be a glaring injustice to the Chinese people for whom the privileges were intended. It is easy to see that the suspension of the rulings of the Washington Conference will mean hardships imposed upon the Chinese people as a whole who are absolutely innocent of the crime for which the penalty is meted out, but will leave the malefactors who are actually responsible for the crime at large.

Had the American organisations, in their fervor, recommended to their own government the withdrawal of recognition for the Northern government, the majority of the Chinese people would hardly raise any objections at all, because it would be a penalty that directly and discriminately affects none but the responsible parties. The present chaos resulting from the functioning of a totally incompetent and currupt government has generated a great longing in the hearts of all intelligent Chinese for some radical change which will drive out the present crowd of usurpers and oppressors from the North. It is interesting to note that men like Mr. Tong Shao-yi recently advocated the shifting of the seat of government from the corruptive atmosphere of Peking.

It has recently been said that China has a fascisti movement in the making, but that there seems to be no Mussolini to rise to the occasion. With the Northern militarists armed to the teeth and holding the people by the throat, as it were, so that any movement unfavorable to their selfish ends can be trampled out with sheer force, the people are completely cowed and demoralised. Besides, wrapped in the splendor of the Peking Court, which is still perfectly Manchu in character, the foreign diplomats there seem to see no rightful government in China but the swaggering mandarins whose eccentricities give them more material for writing up their books than transacting their regular business. In this, an exception must be made for the American Minister who, in face of the clamor for strong action and foreign intervention in Chinese affairs, quietly maintained that "the Chinese people alone must put their house in order." If all foreign governments adopt a similar attitude, the young elements of China will have a chance to make good.

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This is the first time that a convention of the grand lodge of Elks has ever been held in the Southeast, and the first time in ten years that the order has come south.

The Atlanta lodge is completing preparations to entertain a minimum of 75,000 visitors. The hotel capacity will be enlarged by July 1, college dormitories will be operated as temporary hotels, two vast Pullman cities will be set up in the heart of the city, and the grounds and buildings of the Southeastern Fair will be converted into a monster tourist camp to accommodate several thousand southern lodges which will make the trip by automobile. Thousands of private homes will also be opened

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Silk Review

In their review on the Silk market for season 1922-1923, Messrs. William Little and Company write as follows:

STATISTICS

The total export of all descriptions of silk from this port has been piculs 79,781 against 66,188 piculs for 1921-22 and 58,777 piculs for 1920-21.

The total shipments from the Far East have been 443,566 bales against 402,561 bales for previous season.

White Silk (exclusive of Steam Filature). The total export has been 18,347 piculs against 7,830 piculs and 10,286 piculs for two previous seasons.

Shipments for America are 9,758 piculs including 229 yellow against 4,105 piculs including 411 bales yellow last season.

RESUME

There are no special outstanding features to record.

The White Silk crop was in excess of the previous season, but there was an exceptional Native demand which kept up prices, as Silkmen who sold short, found to their cost.

Troubles in Szechuen led to delay in deliveries and force majeur had to be declared in October.

There were strikes in Shanghai in August among some Filatures but they were of short duration and hardly affected deliveries as regards genuine cases.

The American Silk Mission visited Shanghai in March under the chairmanship of Mr. Goldsmith. Several conferences were held with the Chinese and also members of the Foreign Silk Association when outstanding matters were discussed and a general exchange of views took place.

The Imperial Silk Syndicate of Japan was dissolved in December having served a most useful purpose to all connected with the Silk Trade.

The International Committee for the Improvement of Sericulture continues its good work and we would emphasise the importance of its work and its need for further funds.

Tsatlee Filatures and Common New Style. New season Silk was contracted for in early May. Best grades at Tls. 945 advancing to Tls. 960. Kung Kee Mars 1 opening at Tls. 950 declining to Tls. 875 and recovering to Tls. 890 while Common New Style opened at Tls. 970 declined to Tls. 885 and by end of May stood at Tls. 905. During June the Market ruled very steady, prices gradually advancing as dealers found interior markets against them, due to their having to cover their previous sales in face of heavy Native demand. This especially affected Common grades, Kung Kee Mars 1 rising to Tls. 935 and Common New Style Tls. 940 while Best only advanced to Tls. 980. The second crop promising well, prices swung back again, receding to Tls. 900 and Tls. 910 for Kung Kee Mars 1 and New Style. However, in face of the continuous and heavy Native demand, prices again advanced till Tls. 965 was paid in October for Common New Style, Kung Kee Mars 1 remaining about Tls. 920 due to little interest shown for this chop. Best grades reached Tls. 1,000 end of August and rose to Tls. 1,050 end of November. From then onwards prices gradually dropped in spite of very limited supplies and from January to China New Year Common New Style declined from Tls. 905 to Tls. 875 and up again to Tls. 900 while Best grades sold at Tls. 990.

After China New Year Common opened at Tls. 920 at which prices stocks were cleared by March. Best grades selling Tls. 1,020/30. Kung Kee Mars 1 Tls. 855.

Dealers in these sorts have had a rather sorry season.

New Style. America came into the market in early May and by the end of month 1,500 bales were contracted for on basis of M. H. Y. Blue Dragon and Feima Ex. 1 2 Tls. 1,055/40 av. Medium grades Tls. 960/980 for No. 1. In June there was a fair enquiry for Medium grades for Europe and America at some Tls. 20 advance. In July M. H. Y. sold at Tls. 1,075 av. Wild Dragon 1 Tls. 1,025.

The market ruled very quiet till middle of September when considerable interest was shown, M. H. Y. advancing to Tls. 1,115 av. Medium Tls. 1,030. In face of big advance required, market ruled quiet till November when some small lots came at Tls. 1,170 ac. for M. H. Y. Medium Tls. 1,090 and by end of January supplies were much reduced.

After China New Year M. H. Y. sold out at Tls. 1,190 av. Medium Tls. 1,085. Balance chops were gradually cleared off during March at slightly below above basis.

Steam Filatures. Shipments are 15,354 bales to Europe and 12,538 bales to America, totalling 27,892 bales against 12,994 bales and 11,027 bales to Europe and America for last season. By end of May some 6,000 bales had been contracted for out of a probable supply of 30,000 bales, which estimate was not reached. Business was booked on basis of Tls. 1,120 to 1,200 for Medium grades. With reasonable delivery being contracted for, June ruled quiet. There was more enquiry in July, chiefly for America at some Tls. 10/20 advance. The middle of August saw renewed demand and a considerable business was booked round about former rates. September opened quiet and a good business developed, prices by end of October advancing Tls. 150; 2/3rd of the supplies were by now booked and Filatures took up a very firm attitude. Prices eased off a little in November, which brought out fresh enquiry, assisted by easier exchange, and supplies were very much reduced. December saw renewed enquiry at advancing rates and supplies were cleared out end of January at some Tls. 400 above opening rates for Medium grades.

Business for the New Season 1923-24 opened early in March and continued all through the month, Crack chops Tls. 1,600. Medium Tls. 1,500. Demand continued into early May at advancing rates with August delivery missing and with certain favorite chops requiring October. Prices came at some Tls. 100 advance, enquiry being chiefly for Lyons.

The end of the month closed easy with small supplies coming to light at more reasonable deliveries and consuming markets waiting on Japan which was easing off in price.

Wild Silk. Shipments are 15,000 bales including 2,628 bales Local Ports and Japan against 13,744 bales previous season.

Tussah Filatures, 8 Cocoons. Price for Best grades in June was Tls. 740 av. with practically no supplies. New season silk was contracted in August at Tls. 700 and in view of good crop declined to Tls. 650 av. This proved bottom price. During September price rose to Tls. 700 av. advancing to Tls. 780 av. by early October and gradually declining to Tls. 730 av. There was a strong demand in November price advancing to Tls. 815 for early shipment. December ruled quiet, price declining to Tls. 735 av. but from January to well into April a steady demand took place at advancing rates to Tls. 880 av. reaching the Tls. 900 mark in May and constituting another record in price, when demand fell away and price receded to Tls. 840 av. A new innovation took place owing to demand for prompt delivery, by Silkmen demanding a premium for near delivery and a sliding scale forward, which was accepted by buyers. In spite of the good crop and advancing rates supplies were not equal to the demand and we close with very small supplies to carry over to the new season.

Yellow Steam Filatures. Shipments are 5,879 bales against 7,214 bales. These continued in favor but supplies were restricted by the limited crop in Shantung and the disturbed state in Szechuen which caused a delay in deliveries and was clearly a case of force majeur. Price of Best grades Shantung opened at Tls. 1,200 advancing to Tls. 1,350 by Nov. Szechuens open at Tls. 1,090 quickly rising to Tls. 1,200 reaching Tls. 1,300 by October. Price reacted to Tls. 1,260 in December recovering to Tls. 1,300 in January and closed at Tls. 1,200 by uary and closed at Tls. 1,200 by to Tls. 1,200 by March.

Can Henry's Flivver Climb This Hill?

—Machamer in the N. Y. Tribune

Strange Discovery Made In Compound In Tientsin

A singular discovery was made yesterday in Messrs. Rosenfeld's compound, Consular Road, says the North China Mail on June 12. It has always been believed by those familiar with Messrs. Collins and Co. that somewhere in their compound a body lay buried, and that the body was that of a Jew. Some thought it a sort of interesting ghost story, but the firm held to it, without knowing, however, exactly where the body lay. Occasional attempts to locate it were made in vain. Yesterday by arrangement with Mr. Williams, B. M. C. electrical engineer, Chinese workmen started digging in the compound of Messrs. Rosenfeld and Co., leased by them from Messrs. Collins and Co., the purpose being to erect a transformer there, with Messrs. Rosenfeld's permission. While the coolies were digging the pit for the post, they came across a small rectangular stone, which they removed and threw on one side, face downward. They then found a large slab, which proved too much for them, and they decided to dig elsewhere. Mr. Jouravel, however, the manager of Rosenfeld and Co., knowing of the story, had his curiosity aroused. The coolies bared the large stone, which was found to be a solid slab of marble, over 6 feet long, with an indented inscription, the indents being lettered in gold. The top part of the inscription was in Hebrew characters, and the lower part bore the following in English:

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Members of the Jewish community in Tientsin at once gave their attention to the matter, and many of them visited the grave. A photograph was taken of the stone, and the place was covered over with matting, pending removal of the body to the Jewish cemetary cross the river. Mr. Rashin, of Messrs. Andersen, Meyer and Co. who acts as secretary to the local Jewish Community, has communicated with Messrs. D. Sassoon at Shanghai, to obtain their approval of examination of the coffin and transfer of the body to consecrated ground.

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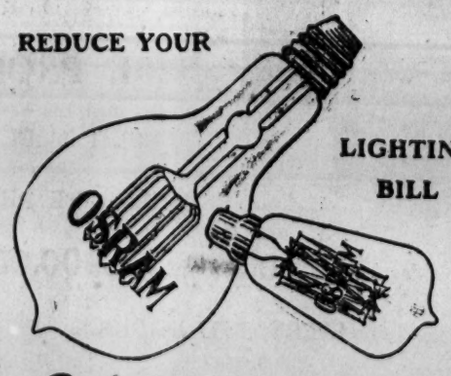

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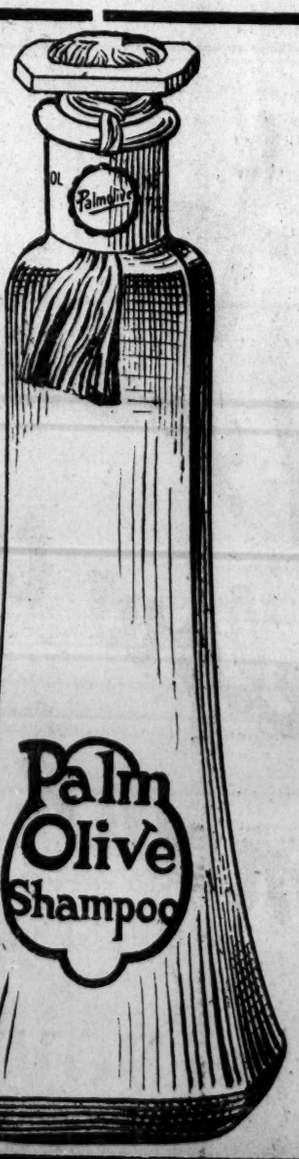

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No. 770

China—East Coast

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Approaches to the Yangtze River—Saddle Group

North Saddle Lightstation—Mechanical Fog-signal to be established

Notice is hereby given that a mechanical fog signalling apparatus is being installed at North Saddle Lightstation, Saddle Group, Approaches to the Yangtze River. This new apparatus, which is of the "Diaphone" pattern, will be operated during foggy or thick weather on and after the 20th July 1923. It will be elevated 247 feet above sea level and will give one blast of 2½ seconds duration every minute.

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By Order of the Inspector General of Customs.

T. J. ELDRIDGE,
Coast Inspector.

THE MARITIME CUSTOMS,
Marine Department,
Coast Inspector's Office.
Shanghai, 26th June, 1923.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
No. 3167.

ROAD ABANDONMENT.

Notice is hereby given that application has been made for the abandonment of the construction of the projected Fangtsze Road, which extends from Yangtzepoo Road to the Whangpoo River, between the Riverside Electricity Power Station and Cadastral Lot 6044, details in regard to which were published in the Municipal Gazette of May 11, 1923.

And Notice is hereby given that in the event of no protest being received against the abandonment of the said Fangtsze Road on or before Wednesday, August 4, 1923, the said Fangtsze Road may forthwith be removed from the official plans.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
Acting Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, June 21, 1923.

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Municipal Notification
No. 3169

Manual Instruction Centre.

Notice is hereby given that an Exhibition of Models completed in the Manual Instruction Centre at the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys will be held at the School, No. 63 Haskell Road, on the afternoons of June 27, 28 and 29 from 4 to 7 p.m.

The presentation of prizes will take place on Friday, June 29, at 6.30 p.m.

Members of the public who are interested in the work are invited to be present on any of the three afternoons.

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ARTHUR T. HEUCKENDORFF,
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June 20, 1923.

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7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

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T. F. 33.

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The China Import and Export Lumber Co., Ltd.

An Extraordinary Meeting will be held at the Company's Offices, No. 6 Kiukiang Road, on Wednesday, 27th June, 1923, at 4:00 p.m. to confirm the resolutions passed at the Meeting held on Wednesday, May 30th, 1923.

By order of the Board of Directors,
ARNHOLD & CO., LTD.,
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Shanghai, June 19th, 1923.

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R. H. FELGATE & CO.
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T. F. 164

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Prof. T. HISADA,
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NOTICE

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Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association
Open Mixed Doubles Championship
POSTPONEMENT

The final in the above Championship will be played in the Courts of the Association in the grounds of the Hotel Majestic, Bubbling Well Road (Gordon Road Entrance) on **Wednesday**, 27th June, 1923, at 5 p.m.

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Incorporated in England by Royal Charter 1853.

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Reserve Fund £3,300,000
Reserve Liabilities £3,000,000

Head Office.
38 Bishopsgate London, E. C.
Shanghai Branch: 18 The Bund

Court of Directors
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner Chairman.
Sir Duncan Carmichael,
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.,
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
Sir William Henry Neville Goschen, K.B.E.
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The Right Honourable Sir John Newell Jordan, G.C.M.G., G.C. I.E., K.C.B.
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The Bank of England.
The London Joint City and Midland Bank Limited.
Westminster Bank, Ltd,
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The Nation Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

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Batavia	Ipoh	Rangoon
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Canton	Kobe	Shanghai
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	Zamboanga	Yokohama

Drafts granted on the above Agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought and received for collection. Travellers' Letter of Credit issued and every description of Banking business undertaken.

C. J. SCOTT,
Manager.

Banque belge Pour L'Etranger

(Affiliated to the Societe Generale de Belgique.)

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Capital (subscribed)	100,000,000
Capital (paid up)	75,000,000
Reserves	21,852,280

Head office: Brussels
Branches and Agencies at:
LONDON, MANCHESTER, PARIS, NEW YORK, BUCHAREST, BRAZIL, COLOGNE, CAIRO, ALEXANDRIA, PEKING, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, HANKOW.
Allied Banks:
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Correspondents in all parts of the world.
Every description of banking business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

Authorised Capital
U. S. $10,000,000
Paid Capital U. S. .....$ 5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Branches:

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Correspondents all over the World.
Every kind of banking business transacted.

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SHANGHAI OFFICE:
11A Nanking Road
Telephone C. 5841, 5842, 5843
Telegraphic address: Sinambank

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Authorised Capital ..$50,000,000
Paid-up Capital $20,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £4,500,000
Silver $24,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $20,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG.
Court of Directors:
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D. G. M. Bernard, Esq. Deputy Chairman.
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Batavia	Ipoh	Rangoon
Bombay	Johore	Saigon
Calcutta	Kobe	S. Francisco
Canton	Kuala-Lumpur	Shanghai
Chefoo	London	Singapore
Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Dairen	Malacca	Sungei-Patani
Foochow	Manila	Tientsin
Haiphong	Nagasaki	Tsingtao
Hamburg	New York	Vladivostock
Hankow	Yokohama	

London Bankers:
The Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12 The Bund
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Local Bills Discounted.
Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa China, Japan and America

G. H. STITT.
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government	Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head Office:
Paris, 9 Rue Bondreau
London Office:
64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
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Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas.
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Rome: Banco di Roma.
New York: Irving Bank—Columbia Trust Company.
San Francisco: The Crocker National Bank of San Francisco.

BRANCHES IN ASIA

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Chefoo	Hongkong	Peking
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Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars. Terms on application. Local Bills discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.
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Managers for Branches in Asia.

Bank of Communications

(Specially authorised and made a National Bank by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1914 and October 31st, 1915)
Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00.
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien.
Vice-President:
Mr. Chien Yung-ming.
HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement. Credit granted on approved securities. Special Facilities for Transfers to all parts of China.
SHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The Bund
SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
T. D. Woo, Sub-Manager.
S. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1.0 will be received.
Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3.½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transaction will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up £1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	San Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings deposits are cordially invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
5 FOOCHOW ROAD.

Telephone: C. 1941. C. 1946. C. 5651.
Telegraphic Address: "Knabex"

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.
Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc. etc.
Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.
Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.
Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.
Foreign Agencies at Tokio Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.
Domestic Agencies at Tientsin Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.
Y. KATADA, Manager.
N. F. CHANG, Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20) ..	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital paid up ....U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,504,980
Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

HEAD OFFICE:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
LONDON OFFICE:
36 BISHOPSGATE, E.C.

BRANCHES

Barcelona	Madrid
Batavia	Manila
Bombay	Panama
Calcutta	Peking
Canton	Rangoon
Cebu	San Francisco
Colon	Santo Domingo
Dairen	Shanghai
Hankow	Singapore
Harbin	Soerabaya
Hongkong	Tientsin
Kobe	Tokio
Lyons	Yokohama

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts and Savings Bank accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.
We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America and in the West Indies.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$19,760,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,033,345.41

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
22 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

行銀業實江浙
The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,008,000.00
Reserve Fund	$206,400.00
Undivided Profits	120,751.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

Li Ming, Manager
Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,445,211 (about £1,620,434)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Weltevreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

行銀亞東
The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

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Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de lo Bale.
Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 18 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Manager.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers .... C. 1929, C. 6468 — Manager's Office. C. 6469, C. 6470 — General Office. C. 5620 — T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

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Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION
Head Offices: 9 Ningpo Road

Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$450,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.
Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

London	Yokohama	San Francisco
Paris	Tokyo	Singapore
Hamburg	New York	Osaka
Amsterdam	Chicago	Manila
Berlin	Seattle	Kobe
Auckland	Zurich	Honolulu

Cable Address: "OCEANSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$830,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

EQUITABLE
Eastern Banking Corporation

Capital	U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits	U. S. $ 900,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No. 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association
Correspondents:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal. The Northwestern National Bank, of Portland, Ore. Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.

大通銀行

Shanghai Branch: 6 Kiukiang Road
Central 7944, 7945, 7946 & 7947.
Central 1424—Manager
CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold.

JAS J. ROGERS,
Manager.

行銀業商方東
Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorized Capital	$5,000,000
Paid up Capital	$2,500,000

Head Office: Hongkong
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interests allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
Savings Department.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers.
New York National City Bank, Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco,
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco.

L. C. WAI,
Manager.

36 Kiangse Road

Miss Irene Ahwee, Dr. J. A. Urquhart, Mr and Mrs. A. E. Dome, Messrs, Roy Anderson, E. J. Cooke, H. A. Meyer, Lai Yun-sang, Pang King-ho, C. N. Chen, J. F. Silva, R. Bande, H. de Gaina, A. R. Lowe, Siou Thian Foh, C. M. Messer, S. Tsuchiya, L. S. Sang, K. W. Lin, J. G. F. Speiden, S. Woodward, B. S. Levingstone; for manila: Misses A. L. Salzman, H. Broddick, E. B. Disselkamp Eva Cooney, Ivy E. Pearson, Lieut. Osborne Wood, Mrs. Katherine Wood, Mrs. Bertha Sweet, Mr. A. L. Alvanz, Mr. J. W. and Mrs. H. E. Townley.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping for Chinwangtao: Mrs. Smith and three children, Master Taylor; for Tientsin: Mr. Fletcher.

Per I-C. s.s. Fausang for Tientsin: Mrs. Tuxford and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard, Miss Tottenham; for Weihaiwei: Mrs. Fenton and two children.

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Vessels Due

Benrinnes, *London*	June 27
Chili, *Yokohama*	July 4
Diomed, *Hankow*	June 28
E. of Australia, *Hongkong*	July 2
E. of Asia, *Vancouver*	June 29
Feiching, *Wenchow*	June 27
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	July 4
Goettingsen, *Hamburg*	July 2
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	June 28
Helenus, *Liverpool*	June 28
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	June 28
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	June 27
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	June 27
Hsinchang, *Hongkong*	June 28
Kanchow, *Hongkong*	July 4
Khiva, *London*	July 4
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	July 1
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	July 2
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	June 30
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	June 29
Kungwo, *Hankow*	June 28
Kiangshun, *Hankow*	July 3
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	June
Kutwo, *Hankow*	July 4
Luenyi, *Hankow*	June 28
Luchow, *Hongkong*	June 27
Luenho, *Hankow*	June 27
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	June 28
Ngankin, *Hankow*	June 30
Ningchow, *New York*	June 28
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	June 27
Pret. Jefferson, *Hongkong*	June 29
Pres. Lincoln, *S. Francisco*	July 4
Poyang, *Hankow*	June 27
Rhexenor, *Liverpool*	June 29
Rokko Maru, *Yokohama*	June 29
Shengking, *Hankow*	July 1
Suiyang, *Hongkong*	July 2
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	June 30
Shantung, *Tsingtao*	June 28
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	June 27
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	July 2
Siberia Maru, *Hongkong*	July 3
Sinkiang, *Hongkong*	June 28
Soochow, *Hongkong*	June 30
Suiwo, *Hankow*	June 30
Tuckwo, *Hankow*	July 1
Tungchow, *Tientsin*	July 1
Taiyo Maru, *S. Francisco*	June 30
Tatung, *Hankow*	July 4
Whangpu, *Hankow*	July 2
West Cayote, *Portland*	July 5
W. Prospect, *S. Francisco*	July 4
Wosang, *Hongkong*	June 29
Wuchang, *Hankow*	June 29
Yusang, *Hongkong*	July 1
Yatshing, *Hongkong*	June 28
Yungshin, *Ningpo*	June 28
Yushun, *Tientsin*	July

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Tatung for Kiukiang: Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Van Dyek and infant, Messrs. S. Hammond, Ayrin, Mrs. Lysons; for Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Forsberg and two children, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Burn.

Per C.N. s.s. Szechuen for Swatow: Mr. T Sun; for Hongkong: Mr. D. A. Morozoff; for Canton: Mr. B. C. Pistruloff.

Per C.N. s.s. Fengtien for Weihaiwei: Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Frisk, Misses L. May, Elias, Mrs. Blenler, Messrs. E. E. Clark, C. Glenler; for Chefoo: Mrs. King, Misses Cole, Mellor, C. Pitcher, L. Nelson, P. Wong, Mr. and Mrs Gilmer Mrs Hoste; for Tientsin: Sir Ernest Wilton, Mrs. Leslie and two children, Mrs. Curtis the two Misses Curtis.

Per C.N. s.s. Chusan for Antung: Misses L. J. Webb, Alema Hill, Burgoyne, Master Burgoyne.

Per I-C. s.s. Loongwo for Kiukiang: Mrs. W. Daniels, Mrs. Blum, Miss Woodbridge, Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Ridgely, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Daniels, Dr. and Mrs. Woodbridge, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Daniels Mr. Azria; for Hankow: Messrs. Antonio Palmerio, Bienayene, Master Russell and Miss Ana Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Baker; for Nanking: Mrs. Grey and child.

Per M.M. s.s. Porthos for Kobe: Mrs. E. Fouliard and child, Messrs. K. Kodira, L. Freeman, Y. Obata, J. S. Carstairs, Paul E. Sammann, Mrs. H. Wilden; for Yokohama: Mrs. U. G. Frondorf, Master R. Frondorf, Mrs. L. E. Bechstein and child, Misses E. Graham, M. Pantin, S. Paturel, Mr. and Mrs. C. Paturel Mr. and Mrs. F. Dumon, Messrs. H. M. Marshall, L. Anderson, Helge F. Meyer, S. Yohannes, Abe Schechter.

Per Adl O. Line s.s. President Grant for Hongkong: Mrs. R. Carroll, the two Misses Smith, Misses R. and M. Levy, S. Ellis, K. Raymond, M. Solomon, Mrs. J. A. Solomon, Dr. J. H. Hunter, Mrs. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nantz.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$1,060 B.
Chartered	£20½ S.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$600
North China	Tls. 38
Union of Canton	H.$230
Yangtsze	$25¼ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 18½ B.
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$137
Hongkong Fire	H.$465 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$190 S.
Indo-China Pref.	H.$87½ B.
"Shell"	80/-
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 86
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 53 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 18¼ B.
Oriental Cons.	18A.
Raub	$5½ B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$153 Sa.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 97
New Eng. Works	Tls. 7¼ B.
" Pref.	$. 5.20 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 197½ B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$166 S.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$40 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land	Tls. 120 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 121 B.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 12.90 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 109 B.
Laou-kung-mow.	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 6.10
Shanghai Cotton.	Tls. 105
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 232½ S.
Green Island	Tls. 28.40
Laugkats	Tls. 28¼ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 93½
Stores	
Hall and Holts	$6¾ B.
Llewelyn	$100 B.
Lane Crawford	$55 B.
Moutrie	H.$18¼ B.
Watson	$13
Weeks	
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 6.90
Amherst	Tls. 0.25 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 8
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23½
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.90 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.75
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2.97½ B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.95 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Cheng	Tls. 1¾
Consolidated	Tls. 2.65 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2¼ B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 10 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 12 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 9¼ B.
Karan	Tls. 7.15
Kedah	Tls. 1 B.
Koth Babree	Tls. 1.30
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 14 B.
Padang	Tls. 5
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1¼ B.
Permata	Tls. 3
Repah	Tls. 0.85 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.75 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.30 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1 B.
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.80
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 2½ B.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 7.70
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1
Sungala	Tls. 0.90 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 8½ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 2½ B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.65 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.75
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.70 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.60
Tiangbes	Tls. 3.15 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13½ B.
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 146 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 37 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 70 B.
S'hai Waterworks	

S. Sellers. Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Stock Exchange
Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTAMIONS
Shanghai, June 26, 1923
OFFICIAL
Telephones Tls. 70.50
Shanghai Loans Tls. 6.25

Money Exchange

Shanghai, June 26, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate	71.8375
Native Interest	05
Copper Cash	248.500
Bar Silver	31¼
Shanghai Gold Bar	334
Bank rate of Discount	3%
Paris on London	74.59
New York on London	461⅜
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/0¾
Demand	3/0⅞
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	70¾
Demand	71

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3/0¾
London (Demand)	3/0⅞
London 4 m-s	3/1
India (T.T.)	228
France (T.T.)	1145
America (T.T.)	70¾
Hongkong (T.T.)	73¾
Japan (T.T.)	69½
Batavia (T.T.)	184½
Straits T.T.)	76½

BANK'S BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3/2¾
London 4 m-s Docts	3/3
London 6 m-s Credits	3/3¼
London 6 m-s Docts	
France 4 m-s	1195
America 4 m-s L/c	73¾
Docs	74¼

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 71⅞ = Tls. 139.13
@ exch. 72.1 = Mex. $192.97
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3/1⅞ = Tls. 6.34
@ exch. 72.1 = Mex. $8.79

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JUNE

Hk. Tls. 5.61	@ 3s. 2⅜d.		£1
" 1.21	@ 74⅛	Gold	$1
" 1	@ 1128	Fr.	12.57
" 1	@ —	Marks	—
" 1	@ 66 5/16	Yen	1.67
" 1	236⅞		
		Rupees	2.64
" 1	@ —	Roubles	—
" 1	@ 1.50	Mex.	$1.50
" 1	@ 15.17½	Ital Lire	16.90

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CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 71
Demand buying on America 71⅞
Demand selling on London 3/1
Demand buying on London 3/1⅞

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS

335.00	335.30
334.70	335.70
334.40	335.90
334.10	335.50
333.80	335.20
333.50	334.80
334.40	334.50
334.70	334.30
335.10	334.20
334.20	
334.80	
334.60	
335.00	

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5th Year 6%	53.00	53.20
7th Year 6%	47.20	47.50
9th Year 6%	68.85	69.80
6% Consolidated	50.20	51.40
7% Consolidated	57.00	57.70
11th Year 8%	98.00	98.00
96 Millions 8%	26.30	26.40

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANKS BUYING RATE
Roubles 330,000 ..... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.04

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 15.60 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.88 = 1 Tael
Marks 50.000 = 1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 103.20 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 22.35 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 138.35 = 100 Fr. Francs

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Exchange Fluctuations
Asia Banking Corporation

June 26, 1923

Spot bar silver was down 1-16d. and forward unchanged in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 64⅛ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 461⅜.

Our official quotations here today were unchanged from yesterday and our market while at times showing signs of easiness was on the whole steday, particularly at the close.

The lowest rates at which business in Sterling was done were 3/1 1/16 for June delivery, 3/0⅞ for July and 3/0¾ for August. The lowest rates for Gold Dollars was 71⅜ for June delivery, 71⅛ for July and 71 for August.

At the close there were sellers or Sterling at 3/1 3/16 for June delivery, 3/1 for July and 3/0⅞ for August. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 71½ for June, 71¼ for July and 71⅛ for August. There were sellers of Yen at 68½ for near delivery and 68¾ for forward.

Banks were quoting 3/1¾ for Sterling bills for near delivery and 3/1½ for forward.

They were quoting 73 for Gold Dollar bills for near delivery and 72¾ for forward. There were buyers of Franc bills at 1175.

China sold silver in London yesterday and the market there as well as in New York is reported as steady.

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Weather Report

June 25.—High pressures over the Bonin and over our regions. Low area over the Tungking Gulf. A cyclonic centre is forming by N. Eastern Yap. Summer monsoon over our coasts. Unsteady winds in the south. Cloudy but fine weather in our regions. Rainy in Central China and in the Formosa Strait.

June 26.—Overcast weather with intermittent showers, thundery at night. Rather steady pressure. S. Easterly breezes.

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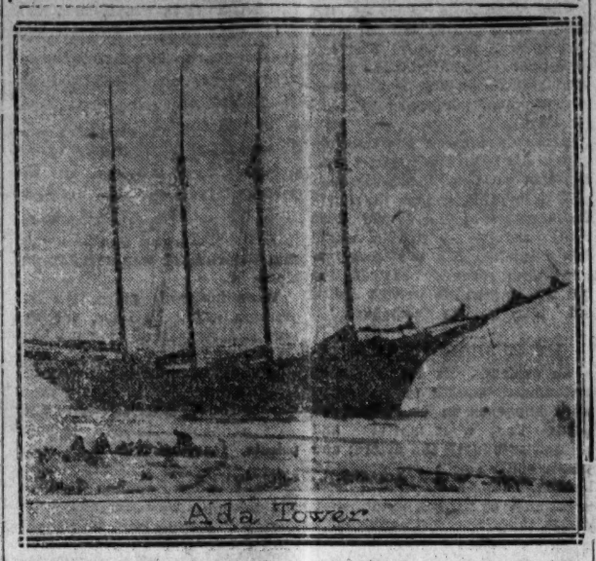
Ship Of Mystery Goes Aground



CONSIDERABLE mystery surrounds the big four-masted Canadian schooner Ada Towers, of Parrsboro, Nova Scotia, which is piled high up on the beach at Patchogue, Long Island. All hands were saved by the United States Coast Guard men. When the ship went ashore it was whispered she had safely disposed of a big cargo of whiskey in Rum Row, off Sandy Hook, but this was denied by Captain Hatfield, who declared his vessel was an honest merchant ship.

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on June 26, 1923.

Butcher's Meat

Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	24-35

Fish

Bream	per lb.	25-30
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	30-40
Mackerel	"	25-30
Pomfret	"	25-30
Salmon	per lb.	20-25
Samli	"	50-60
Soles	"	25-30
Whitebait	"	none

Game Poultry and Eggs

Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	35-40
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	80-$1.00
Pigeons	"	20-25
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	none
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	80-$1.00
Wild Pigeon	"	none

Fruit

Apricots	per lb.	10-12
Apples	"	45-50
Banana	"	8-10
Chestnutr	"	none
Melons	each	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	per lb.	none
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	8-20
Lichees	per lb.	20-25
Mangoes	each	20-25
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Oranges	"	$1.00-$1.20
Peaches	per lb.	10-12
Persimmons	"	none
Peeboes	"	12-15
Plums	"	10-12
Pumeloes	each	30-35
Pineapples	"	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	12-15

Vegetables

Artichokes	each	12-15
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	12-15
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Broad Beans	per lb.	12-15
Cabbage	each	5-10
Celery	per bunch	3-4
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	6-8
French Beans	"	6-8
Peas	"	10-12
Green Corn	each	3-4
Leeks	per bunch	3-4
Parsnips	per bunch	3-4
Onions	"	2-3
Potatoes	per picul	$2.00-$2.50
Radishes	"	1-2
Spinach	per lb.	3-4
Tomatoes	"	10-12

Grain And Flour

Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.50
Floor Shanghai	per 50 lbs.	$3.00
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.70
Barley	"	$4.60
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$12.60

Milk

Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25

Fuel

Fire wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton	Tls. 19.50
Horse Coal	"	17.25

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SHANGHAI, JUNE 27, 1923

WEATHER

Cloudy weather with intermittent showers, because of a depression formed over Hunan and travelling towards the sea. Cyclonic circulation over our regions. The low center, located by Yap, will slowly continue W. N. W-wards.

The Chinese Captives

THE release of the Chinese captives who have been held prisoner at Paotzuku since the train wreck and raid near Lincheng will be received with a considerable degree of satisfaction in Shanghai where the entire outrage has been more keenly felt than anywhere else.

The Chinese have suffered terrible privations during the time they have been held captive, principally because of the fact that while the foreign Powers made urgent representations to the Peking Government and took other measures to secure their release, and took care of the foreign captives through the American Chamber of Commerce and the American Red Cross, the Chinese had no government to go to their assistance. Peking, as usual, was in political turmoil and the politicians and tuchuns cared little whether the captured Chinese starved to death or were slaughtered, as many of them were.

Even Chinese organisations, usually quite prompt in taking the public's side when the government is tardy, were woefully slow in this instance. No representative organisation went to the Chinese captives' assistance for at least two weeks after the outrage and then their efforts were totally inadequate to meet the situation. The entire outrage showed as perhaps never before the need of a strong organization to shoulder some of the responsibility being side-stepped by the Peking clique.

The news reporting the release of the captives gives few details. It is understood that Sun Mei-yao, feeling somewhat righteous now that he has donned the gold braid and other gaudy decorations of a Brigadier-General, ordered the release in order to give himself more "face." Regardless of how they came to be released the foreign dwellers in China will be extremely glad they have been given their freedom.

But what has happened to the large number of captives who have been held in the bandit stronghold for one and even two years? Who is going to intercede in their behalf? Will the Chinese Chamber of Commerce be satisfied now that the captives actually taken in the train raid have been released, or will they redouble their efforts until the other captives—and especially the children who have been held on top of the mountain—are freed? Cannot Chinese public opinion rise from the petty squabbles of various political factions long enough to create an effectual demand for the release of these children and their return to their homes? The meekee-spirit that prevails is even more to be deplored that the single incident. If China is to save herself she must first develop collective public spirit.

"Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their stomachs"—which is to say that after having tried praise, flattery, appeal to the ego, kid-gloving, black-jacking, and common ordinary persuasion without success the boss has laid down the cold dictum that if we expect to keep eating we have to start filling this column again.

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Hence—we are to eat despite the fact that we realise several people ardently hoped we'd starve, or wish we would.

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And we'll reasure you right off the reel—there ain't gonna be any alleged bandit jokes in the pagoda. We've written more than our share already.

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If there are any shroffs who have by mere chance missed us—although it doesn't seem possible—they are informed that because of daylight saving our hours have changed and we may now be seen from 5 to 5:05 a.m.

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One of the Pollyanna writers on the editorial page of yesterday's CHINA PRESS wrote on "Make Your Handshake Express More Than Words." That, dear readers, is as easy as falling off a log if you have a checking account that doesn't run out.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"The origin of the dress suit and the stiff shirt may be traced to a group that did not have to work, because when dressed in them they could do no work."—Dr. Frank Crane.

"The American people are too busy."—Shade of Lord Northcliffe.

"He (Roy Anderson) is the kind of two-fisted he-man we like to have travel with us."—Jeff Holzer, purser of the "President Grant."

"As men we are equal in the presence of death."—Publius Syrus. 42 B.C.

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"DOYLE HAS CHAT WIT NORTHCLIFFE, DEAD PUBLISHER."—headline in THE CHINA PRESS. We knew Dinny was good but he's evidently getting better and better every day.

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President Harding has been helping the Kansas farmers with their threashing, according to news dispatches, and Pa Jongg, who has been a Democrat even when Bryan ran says it's about time he tried to separate the wheat from the chaff.

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A smokeless, flashless, moisture proof powder has just been perfected in the United States which indicates the flappers are going to be harder boiled than ever.

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IMA HOOT NANNY SEZ

"I see where the Birth of Nation has finally come home."

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SUCH IS FAME!

(Another boner in last night's Mercury)

"Those present included Messrs. F. and E. Elias, Leon Friedman, J. B. Powell, Sephiere, Henley, Verla, Musso and Victor Haimovitch (one of the escaped captives); and Carl Crow Shanghai's "pet bandit" was not present."

Larry

Correspondence

MOVIE PRICES

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Sir: I wonder if the management of The Carlton Theater will have any excuse to make for raising their prices during this week. I also wonder if anyone has forgotten the so-called "Carlton Price" that they have so far advertised as "Never Change!"

Of course most theater-goers are not very particular about prices, but is this raise a good business policy? I doubt.

Thanking you for inserting this letter in your valuable columns, I am, Yours truly,

A FAN.

Shanghai, June 26, 1923.

COUNTRY CLUB FLAG

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Sir: Although I am not a member of the Columbia Country Club I, as an American, take an interest in the fact that the American flag which flies from the Club is a torn and tattered thing.

On a recent occasion I heard it referred to by a well-meaning gentleman of another nationality as "the Stars and Strips." I was rather peeved at first until I looked at the flag and saw that it was actually at least stripes and strips. Since then I have discovered that it is left flying at all hours when it rains as the 'boys' at the Club evidently refuse to get wet by lowering it during a storm.

A flag—if it is worth flying—is worth flying right, and I think the matter should be called to the attention of the directors of the club in the hope that they will remedy the present situation. It is to be hoped they will at least get a new flag for July 4. Sincerely,

'AN AMERICAN.

MR. J. T. HAMMOND'S VIEW

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS.

Sir: I should be obliged to you if you would publish the following facts affecting myself in connection with the prosecution of Mr. V. V. Macdonnell in H.B.M. Supreme Court on last Friday, June 22.

I attended the races at Kiangwan on May 19 and 21. On these two dates I was engaged in a number of betting transactions extending to some $25,000/$30,000. During this meeting I received a cheque from Mr. Macdonnell which formed the basis of the complaint later sworn by me. This cheque was dated April 21. I thought at the time that I swore my complaint that "April" was in mistake for "May" but that the "21" was correct. There was nothing at that time to draw my particular attention to the date.

Upon hearing the evidence at the Police Court my attention was called to the materiality of the exact date and on reflection I realised that the date of the event in question was the 19th and not the 21st.

I informed my lawyer of the mistake and this was communicated to the Crown Advocate.

I have been called in respect of the above facts both a liar and a perjurer under circumstances which gave me no opportunity of replying.

A liar is a person who says what is false to his knowledge: a perjurer is a person who swears what is false to his knowledge.

I am neither. When I swore that the date was the 21st I believed that I swore truly: When I swore it was the 19th I believed equally that I swore truly.

After I had found out my mistake, what honest man could have acted differently from me?

I have lived in Shanghai for five and a half years and have never laid myself open to any accusation of false or untruthful word or action.

The comments made in this case I feel deeply, and resent bitterly and it is therefore that I ask you, Sir, to be so good as to place the facts before your readers in order that the public of Shanghai shall be able to judge for itself on the facts themselves. Yours obediently,

J. T. HAMMOND.

Shanghai, June 26, 1923.

A young man had been calling now and then on a young lady, when one night, as he sat in the parlour waiting for her to come down, her mother entered the room instead, and asked him, in a very grave, stern way what his intentions were.

He turned very red, and was about to stammer some incoherent reply, when suddenly the young lady called down from the head of the stairs:

"Mamma, mamma, that is not the one."

Marie—"I'm afraid Jean is going to blow his brains out."

Clarisse—"Why so?"

Marie—"He has bought a cornet."

Motorist's Friend—"Oh, I say! Goodness gracious, we'll be smashed up in a minute!"

Motorist—"All right, my dear fellow, don't excite yourself. The firm I bought this motor from have agreed to keep it in repair for a year."

Irish Laughed At Death, Says Kipling

This remarkable story of the gallant Irish guards and the place they took in the World War has been accepted by critics the world over as one of the finest pieces of work ever performed by Rudyard Kipling.

Everywhere there has been regret at his failure to produce such startling work as made him notable before his serious illness. In the crucible of the World War, many thought his genius would flower again. His few contributions were scanned eagerly, but did not ring as his writing did of old. Now he has "comeback."

BY RUDYARD KIPLING

As evidence is released, historians may be able to reconstruct what happened in or behind the battle line; what motives and necessities swayed the actors; and who stood up or failed under his burden. But a battalion's field is bounded by its own vision. Even within these limits, there is large room for error.

Witnesses to phases of fights die and are dispersed; the ground over which they fought is battered out of recognition in a few hours; survivors confuse dates, places and personalities, and in the trenches, the monotony of the waiting days and the repetition—work of repairs breed mistakes and false judgments. Men grow doubtful or oversure, and, in all good faith, give directly opposed versions. The clear sight of a comrade so mangled that he seems to have been long dead is burnt in one's brain to the exclusion of all else that happened that day. The shock of an exploded dump, shaking down a firmament upon the landscape, dislocates memory throughout half a battalion; and so on in all matters, till the end of laborious inquiry is too often the opening of fresh confusion. When to this are added the personal prejudices and misunderstandings of men under heavy strain, carrying clouded memories of orders half given or half heard, amid scenes that pass like nightmares, the only wonder to the compiler of these records has been that any sure fact whatever should be retrieved out of the whirlpool of war.

IN RANK AND FILE THE IRISH EXCELLED

No volume could hold the full tale of all that was done, either in the way of duty, under constraint of necessity and desire to keep alive, or through joy and pleasure in achieving great deeds.

Here the Irish rank and file by temperament excelled. They had all their races delight in the drama of things; and, whatever the punch—whether ambushed warfare or hand to hand shock, or an insolently perfect parade after long divorce from the decencies—could be depended upon to advance the regimental honor. Their discipline, of course, was that of the guards, which, based upon tradition, proven experience, and knowledge of the human heart, adjusts itself to the spirit of each of its battalions.

The Irish guards stood to the test without flaw.

They were in no sense any man's command. They needed minute comprehension, quick sympathy and inflexible justice, which they repaid by individual devotion and collective good-will that showed best when things were at their utter worst. Their moods naturally varied with the weather and the burden of fatigues (actions merely kill while fatigue breaks men's hearts), but their morale was constant because their unofficial life, on which morale hinges, made for contentment. The discipline of the guards, demanding the utmost that can be exacted of the man, requires of the officer unremitting care of his men under all conditions. This care can be a source of sorrow and friction in rigid or overconscientious hands, till, with the best will in the world, a battalion may be reduced to the mental state of nurse-harried children. Or, conversely, an adored company commander, bold as a lion, may, for lack of it, turn his puzzled company into a bear garden.

REGARD OTHERS' FEELINGS MORE THAN LIVES

But there is an elasticity in Celtic psychology that does not often let things reach breaking point either way; and their sense of humor and social duty—it is a race more careful to regard each others feelings than each others lives—held them as easily as they were strictly association. A jest; the grave hearings out of absurd complaints that might turn to tragedy were the hearing not accorded; a prompt soothing down of gloomy, injured pride; a piece of flagrant buffoonery sanctioned, even shared, but never taken advantage of, went far in dark days to build up that understanding and understood inner life of the two battalions to which, now, men look back lovingly across their civilian years. It called for a devotion from all, little this side of idolatry; and was shown equally by officers, N. companies and men, stretcher bearers, cooks, orderlies, and not least by the hard-bit, fantastic old soldiers, used for odd duties, who faithfully hobbled about France alongside the rush of wonderful young blood.

Were instances given, the impression might be false, for the tone and temper of the time that set the pace has gone over. But while it lasted, the men made their officers and the officers their men by methods as old as war itself: and their Roman Catholic priests, fearless even in a community none too regardful of nature's first law, formed a subtle and a supple link between both. That the priest, over in waiting upon death or pain, should learn to magnify his office was as natural as that doctors and front line commanders should find him somewhat under their feet when occasion called for the secular, not the spiritual, arm.

PRIESTS IGNORE ORDERS TO KEEP IN SAFETY

That commanding officers, to keep peace and save important pillars of their little society, should first advise and finally order the padre not to expose himself wantonly in forward posts or attacks, was equally of a piece with human nature; and that the priests, to the huge content of the men, should disregard the order, "What's a casualty compared to a soul?" was most natural of all.

At 3 o'clock in the morning of August 23, 1914, the brigade marched via Riez de l'Erelle into Belgian territory and through Blaregnies toward Mons, where it was dimly understood that some sort of battle was in the making. But it was not understood that 80,000 British troops with 300 guns disposed between Conde, through Mons toward Binche, were meeting twice that number of Germans on their front, plus 60,000 Germans with 230 guns trying to turn their left flank, while a quarter of a million Germans, with close on a thousand guns, were driving in the French armies on the British right from Charleroi to Namur, across the Meuse and the Sambre.

This, in substance, was the situation at Mons. It supplied a sufficient answer to the immortal question, put by one of the pillars of the battalion, a drill sergeant, who happened to arrive from home just as that situation had explained itself, and found his battalion steadily marching south.

"Phwat's all this talk about a retreat," said he, and strictly rebuked the shouts of laughter that followed. . . .

LONG RETREAT OF LITTLE ARMY BEGINS

The battalion heard confusedly of the fall of Namur, and, it may be presumed, of the retirement of the French armies on the right of the British. There was little other news of any sort, and what there was, not cheering. On front and flank of the British armies the enemy stood in more than overwhelming strength, and it came to a question of retiring as speedily as might be before the flood swallowed what remained. So the long retreat of our little army began. . . .

At Etreux, where, with the rest of the brigade, the battalion entrenched itself after the shallow pattern of the time, it had its first sight of a German airplane, which flew over its trenches and dropped a bomb that "missed a trench by twenty yards." The battalion fired at it and "it flew away like a wounded bird and eventually came down and was captured by another division." Both sides were equally inexperienced in those days in the details of air day. All that day they heard the sound of what they judged was "a battle in the direction of le Cateau." This was the second army corps and a single division of the third corps under Smith-Dorrien interrupting our retirement to make a stand against four or more German army corps and 600 guns.

VON KLUCK EXULTS OVER "RING OF STEEL"

The result of that action caused the discerning General Von Kluck to telegraph that he held the "expeditionary force surrounded by a ring of steel," and Berlin behung itself with flags. This also the battalion did not know; they were more interested in the fact they had lost touch with the second division and that their commanding officer had told the officers that, so far as he could make out, they were surrounded and had better dig in deeper and wait on. . . .

Neither brigade nor battalion commanders knew anything of what was ahead or behind, but it seemed that, since they could not get into Paris before the Germans and take first-class tickets to London, they would all be cut off and destroyed; which did not depress them unduly. At all events, the battalion one evening forgot its weariness long enough to take part in the chase and capture a stray horse of Belgian extraction, which after its lack of manners and mouth had been proved, they turned over for instruction and reformation to the transport. . . .

The death of Colonel Morris, an officer beloved and a man noticeably brave among brave men, was a heavy loss to the battalion he commanded, and whose temper he knew so well. In the thick of the fight during a lull in the firing, when some blind shell fired opened, he called to the men: "D' you hear that? They're doing that to frighten you." To which someone replied, with simple truth: "If that's what they're after they might as well stop. They succeeded with me hours ago."

As a matter of fact, the men behaved serenely, as may be proved by this tale. They were working their way, well under rifle fire, across an opening in the forest, when some of them stopped to pick blackberries that attracted their attention. To these their Sergeant, very deliberately, said: "I shouldn't mind them berries, lads. There's maybe worrums in 'em."

THE HORNET'S VICTORY

It was a speech worthy of a hero of Dumas, whose town villers—cotterets is, by right of birth. Yet once, during their further retirement toward Pisseleux, they were badly disconcerted. A curious prvate prodded a hornet's nest on a branch with his bayonet and the inhabitants came out in force. Then there was real confusion; not restored by the height of bald headed reservists frantically slapping with their caps at one hornet while others stung them on their defenseless scalps. So they passed out of the darkness and the greenery of the forest, which four years later,

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By George McManus

Irish Laughed At Death, Says Kipling

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was to hide a great French army and launch it forth to turn the tide of 1918.

Their march continued until 11 p.m. that night, when the battalion arrived at Betz, where the first and second army corps rejoined each other once more. No supplies were received that night nor the following day (September 2), when the battalion reached Esbly, where they bached—with soap, be it noted in the broad and quiet Marne, and an ox was requisitioned, potatoes were dug up from a field and some sort of meal served out. The diary here (September 2, 1914) notes: "Thus ended the retreat from Mons."

This is not strictly correct. In twelve days the British army had been driven back 140 miles as the crow flies from Mons, and further, of course, by road.

GERMAN TRIUMPH WANES

There was yet to be a further retirement of some fifteen miles south of Esbly ere the general advance began, but September 3 marks, as nearly as may be, slack water ere the ebb that followed of the triumphant German tidal wave through Belgium almost up to the outer forts of Paris. That advance had at the last moment swerved aside from Paris toward the southeast, and in doing so had partially exposed its right flank to the sixth French army. General Joffre took instant advantage of the fatal step to wheel his sixth army to the east, so that its line ran due north and east from Ermenonville to Lagny; at the same time throwing forward the left of his line. The British force lay between Lagny and Cortecan, filling the gap between the sixth and fifth French armies, and was still an effective weapon, which the enemy supposed they had broken for good. But our harried men realised no more than that for the moment there seemed to be a pause in the steady going back. The confusion, the dust, the heat. While the armies maneuvered for position, and scouts and aerial reconnoisance reported more and more German columns of all arms pressing down from the east and northeast.

ENEMY FALLS BACK

On September 15 patrols reported that the enemy had fallen back a little from his position at daylight, two companies entrenched themselves on the edge of the wood. Judged by present standards, those trenches were little more than shallow furrows, for we did not know that the day of open battle was ended; and it is curious to see how slowly our people broke themselves to the monotonous business of trench construction and maintenance. Even after they had dug the casual ditch, which they called a trench, it cost some time and a few lives till they understood that the works could not be approached in the open, as had been war's custom. Their first communication was but 300 yards long, and it struck them as a gigantic and almost impossible "fatigue."

It may be noted for the instruction of generations to come that some of the reservists grumbled at orders not to talk or smoke in the trenches, as that drew fire; and that a newly appointed platoon officer, when he had admonished them officially, fell them out and informed them unofficially, that, were there any more trouble he would, after the C. O. had dealt with the offenders, take them on for three rounds "boxing in public," peace and good will be returned at once.

BLOOD, SNIPERS AND JIGS

The brigade, less the Second Cold Stream, "assembled in a field about four kilometers along the Ypres-Zonnebeke road and after a wait of three hours from nowhere a company of the first Irish guards advanced to the support of the second grenadiers who had been ordered to prolong the line to the rignt of the Second Cold Stream. This company and both the advanced battalions suffered somewhat severely from shell fire and occasionally sniping." Thus coldly does the diary enter upon what was in fact the first day of the first battle of Ypres, in which companies had to do the work of battalions, and battalions of brigades, and whose only relief was a change of torn and blood-soaked ground from one threatened sector of the line to the next.

It was not worth while to record how the people of Ypres brought out coffee to the battalion as it passed through, the day before (October 20), and how, when they halted there a few hours, the men amused their hosts by again dancing Irish jigs on the clattering pavements while the refugees clattered past; or how it was necessary to warn the companies that the enemy might attack behind a screen of Belgian women and children in which case the battalion would have to fire through them.

Across The Breakfast Table

By Mr. And Mrs. W. L. George

Wayward Husbands

Mrs. George: I was much touched by your moving words yesterday morning about charity for wayward husbands. It's a pity you bounched out of the house as soon as you'd finished speaking. Of course you dared not wait for my reply because you knew you were talking rot. The way you men talk of charity when it concerns your morals makes me tired. I'd like to know where your charity comes in when a woman's morals are concerned: Oh, you men are very broad minded about morality, except in the case of married women. Then, darling, your ideas go back to before the flood.

Mr. George: I didn't say anything about charity for women. They can have all the charity they need, and they need a good deal more than you make out. What I mean is that many a beautiful husband is often stingy, disagreeable and neglectful, while a husband who, well....gets himself talked about, may be perfectly charming and keep his wife happy. I don't know why you women set up these watertight compartments and try to shut us up in them. You've got to make the best of us, a mixed lot.

Mrs. George: Are you trying to prepare me, darling? If so, it's no use. Anyhow, you've refused the question of woman's morality. No, don't interrupt me and say we were discussing men's charity, because we weren't. You started talking about charity for men, and I said what about charity for women, but of course you never keep to the point. It's most extraordinary, whenever I say anything about this particular subject you always glide out and say you have to catch your train. Oh, go and catch your train, and let me finish my breakfast.

When The Moon Sashays Nearer

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

Have you ever noticed how much larger and brighter the full moon looks in some months than in others? It is an interesting phenomenon, and full of the grist of astronomy. It depends on the periodical changes in the moon's distance from the earth as she swings round her orbit, combined with the changing relations of the moment of full moon with the moment when she is either in perigee (nearest point to the earth), or apogee (farthest point from the earth).

If the full moon occurs at perigee she looks her largest and shines her brightest; if it occurs at apogee the reverse is the case. And the difference is by no means inconsiderable, as you can see by a glance at our pictures, which are carefully drawn to true relative scale.

The full moon at perigee appears about 30 percent larger, and furnishes 30 percent more light than the full moon at apogee. The apparent diameters of the moon in the two cases are about in the ratio of 16 to 14, whose squares, which represent the areas, are 256 and 196.

Thirty percent more moonlight on certain nights, might, in a practical way, mean a great deal to a great many persons, to say nothing of increase of that peculiar fascination which in all times and among all peoples has been ascribed to the beams of the full moon, and which the most prosaicminded must have felt very much as Poe has described it:

"At midnight in the month of June,
I stand beneath the mystic moon.
An opiate vapor, dewy, dim,
Exhales from out her golden rim
And softly dripping, drop by drop,
Upon the quiet mountain-top,
Steals drowsily and musically
Into the universal valley."

There will be a chance to contrast the apparent size of the moon and the brightness of moonlight when each is near, first its maximum and then its minimum, by comparing the full moon of May 29 with that of October 24. On the first occasion the full moon phase will occur about a day and a half after perigee, and on the second occasion about a day and a third after apogee. Its apparent or angular semi-diameter will be on the first occasion about sixteen minutes thirty seconds of arc, and on the second occasion about fourteen minutes forty-four seconds of arc, making a difference in brightness of a little more than twenty-five percent in favor of the full moon of May 29.

The full moon of June 28 will also be a bright one—not quite so bright as that of May 29. That of July 27 will be a little above the average, but the remainder of the full moons for this year will be smaller and fainter than the average.

There is another factor that affects the brilliancy of the light received from the full moon, and that is its elevation above the horizon. The higher it is in the sky the less the atmospheric absorption dims its brightness. For this reason the full moons that occur in Winter are more luminous for us than those of Summer, because the Winter full moons must run high since the sun then runs low. A full moon is always exactly opposite in the sky to the sun.

More Truth Than Poetry

BY S. E. KISER

He whistles gayly, and is glad,
His task no longer seems oppressive;
His mind is free from doubts he had,
He thinks the world has turned progressive.
"Look on the brighter side," says he,
"There's no occasion for complaining;
The sun's right where it ought to be,
However hard it may be raining.

"The water that has passed the mill
Will not return to speed the grinding,
But downward from the distant hill
The sparkling stream is always winding.
If troubles linger here and there
We may be sure that they will scatter;
The weather frequently is fair,
And hardly anything's the matter.

"The foolish only will not learn
That happiness has not departed;
Wherever helpful people turn
They find some cause to be lighthearted;
The cares that irked us yesterday
Have dwindled, or are gone completely;
The dismal clouds are swept away,
And all the winds are blowing sweetly."

His happy hopefulness is due
To no rewards of speculation;
His fame has not been carried to
The farthest outposts of creation;
He hasn't won success in trade,
Or risen to a high position;
He's found a new way to evade
The consequence of prohibition.

How To Get Out Of Rut

BY J. J. MUNDY

It is easy to get into a rut. Are you in one?

Is it an effort for you to think along unfamiliar lines?

Do you hesitate about beginning anything which is new because you find it so hard to think deeply?

Extra thought and exertion are distasteful to you, so you keep in the beaten path and consequently do not improve.

But occasionally you decide you will make improvement, and then fall back again because it is so hard to change your thought and your ways.

Every time you slide back it makes it easier to backslide at another time, and you are much weaker as an individual.

If you work along the same lines as a year ago you are in a deep rut.

Teacher, lawyer, doctor, business man or housewife cannot keep up the same regime a whole year without serious detriment to a progressive spirit which is necessary to success.

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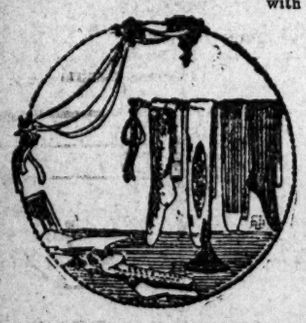

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Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGTEEN, Capt. Klansen, will leave on Wednesday, June 27, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,368 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, June 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

CHUNGKING DIRECT.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. FUHWO, 953, Tons, Captain Williamson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Old Ningpo Wharf on Thursday, June 28, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Department.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. Kiangyu, Capt. Johannssen, will leave on Thursday, June 28, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KIUKWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday June 29, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S. S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, July 2, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. TUCKWO, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, July 3, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passage Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The Steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Thursday, June 28, at about p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG DIRECT.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Str. ARIZONA MARU, 20,000 tons, Capt. D. Fuchigami, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Wharf on June 29, at—— For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

WENCHOW.—The Str. FEI-CHING, Capt. Manley, will leave on Saturday morning, June 30. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. CO.

For Northern Ports

TSINGTAU, TIENTSIN AND DAIREN.—The O.S.K. Cargo and Passenger Str. KOHOKU MARU, 5,000 tons, Captain M. Miyata, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Yangtszepoo Wharf on June 27, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA. No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINMING, Capt. Taylor, will leave on Thursday morning, June 28. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the (chartered) steamer KIANGPING, on June 28. For Freight apply to Agent, 32. (late 1) Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 317.

Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1923

(The night tide are higher than the day tides, they are about equal at 4 and 5 o'clock).

Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
11h. 10m.	6ft. 7in.	11h. 34m.	9ft. 6in.

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A.M.		P.M.	
H.	M.	H.	M.
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Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
5.47 p.m.	3.39 a.m.	4h. 58m.	7h. 6m.	4h. 13m.	7h. 15m.

Mean Barometric Pressure,
June 29.73 in.
755.1 mm.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO
Harold Dollar .....May 21
President Taft .....May 26
Tenyo Maru .....May 29
Standard Arrow .....May 29
Korea Maru .....June 8
President Cleveland ..June 9
Yankee Arrow .....June 19
Shinyo Maru .....June 21
President Pierce .....June 23

FOR SAN PEDRO
Algonquin .....June 10

FOR VANCOUVER
Empress of Canada ..June 4
Canadian Freighter ..June 10
Empress of Russia ..June 16

FOR SEATTLE
President Madison ....May 26
President McKinley ..June 6
Hawaii Maru .....June 7
City of Spokane .....June 14
Alabama Maru .....June 19
President Jackson ....June 23
Ibukisan Maru .....June 23

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.
Hannawa .....May 24
West Keats .....May 30
Wawalona .....June 2
Montague .....June 15
West Jena .....June 21

FOR NEW YORK
Kendal Castle .....June 1
M. S. Dollar .....June 7
City of Pittsburg ....June 10
Mayebashi Maru ....June 12
Eclipse .....June 13
Stanley .....June 14
Oanfa .....June 15
Roman Prince .....June 20
Shunko Maru .....June 23

FOR UNITED KINGDOM
Automedon .....May 24
Glenariffe .....May 26
Nyanza .....May 26
Eleanor .....May 30
Neleus .....May 30
Glenamoy .....June 1
Haruna Maru .....June 2
City of Tokio .....June 6
Eumaeus .....June 6
Sardinia .....June 9
Adrastas .....June 13
City of Singapore ....June 13
Glentara .....June 15
Phemius .....June 15
Kamo Maru .....June 16
Teiresias .....June 21
Delta .....June 23
Gaelic Prince .....June 24

FOR HAMBURG
Adolf von Bayer ....June 2
Dakar Maru .....June 2
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Ermland .....June 9
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FOR ROTTERDAM
Oudekerk .....June 1

FOR DUNKIRK
Meinam .....May 21

FOR COPENHAGEN
Chile .....May 21

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Amboise .....May 21
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FOR TRIESTE
Nippon .....May 31

FOR INDIA
Soudan .....June 1
Japan .....June 5
Jeypore .....June 13
Kutsang .....June 23
Sicilia .....June 26

Launch Services

Saturday, June 30, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson, for Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama will leave the Customs jetty at 9 a.m.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow on Monday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Yusang will leave Hongkong yesterday and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Swatow on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Luchow left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Yatshing is due in Shanghai from Hongkong and Swatow tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Soochow left Hongkogn yesterday and is is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow yesterday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Wosang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching left Wenchow yesterday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin on Sundany and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Tsingtao today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave Dairen today and is due in Shanghai via Tsingtao next Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow will leave Tientsin tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Chefoo for Tientsin on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Yushun will leave Tientsin for Dairen and Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Saturday morning.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nikko Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji today and will dock at the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki tomorrow morning and will dock at the Wayside Wharf. The steamer is to sail for the same port early Friday morning.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Rokko Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Nagoya next Friday and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Soudan is expected to leave Bombay for Colombo, Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai on July 6.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Kashmir left London at 6 o'clock Saturday evening, June 9, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on July 18.

The Glen Line s.s. Carnarvonshire is due in Shanghai from London on July 6.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenbeg is due in Shanghai from London on July 20.

The P. & O. s.s. Macedonia was due to leave London on Friday and arriving in Shanghai via Suez and ports on August 1.

The Ben Line s.s. Benrinnes, from London via ports, left Singapore on Friday, June 15, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai today.

The N.D.L. s.s. Goettingsen left Colombo on Friday, June 15 and is due to arrive in Shanghai on July 2.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Rhexenor left Singapore on Thursday, June 21, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on Friday.

The M.M. s.s. Chili will leave Shanghai for Marseilles and ports at 4 p.m. July 6, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the French Mail jetty at 2 p.m.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor, from Marseilles on June 1 with mail, will arrive at Saigon tomorrow and is expected in Shanghai on Saturday, July 7.

The Ben Line s.s. Benvenue left Penang on Friday, June 22, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on or about July 10.

The Ben Line s.s. Benlawers is expected to arrive at Penang on July 9, and in Shanghai about July 27.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Diomed left Hankow yesterday and is due due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The S.E. s.s. Nippon, from Gothenburg, left Hongkong for Yokohama on June 19, and is due due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. & O. s.s. Khiva, from London on May 25, was expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenapp arrived in Shanghai from Vladivostok yesterday morning and is expected to sail for Genoa and London via ports tomorrow. The liner is berthed at the China Merchants' lower buoys.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Helenus left Hongkong last Monday and is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow afternoon.

AMERICAN LINES

The S. and B. s.s. West Prospect is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles via ports on July 4 and will sail for Hongkong, Saigon and Singapore on July 6.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Cayote is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on July 5, and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on July 8.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Kader is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, July 16 and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Taku Bar and Dairen on July 18.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada is due to leave Vancouver tomorrow and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on July 13.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft is due to leave San Francisco tomorrow and arriving in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on July 18.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison which left Seattle on May 19, should arrive at Yokohama next Sunday and is expected in Shanghai on July 6.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley is due to leave Seattle next Sunday and arriving in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on July 18.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln which left San Francisco on May 14, should arrive at Yokohama from Honolulu next Friday and is expected in Shanghai on July 4.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia arrived at Yokohama from Vancouver yesterday morning and is expected to arrive at Woosung next Saturday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant left Shanghai for Hongkong and Manila yesterday morning, and will return to port on July 11. The liner is to sail for Seattle on its homebound voyage, July 12.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson is due in Shanghai from Hongkong Friday about noon, and will dock at the Standard Oil Wharf, Pootung. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs jetty about 2:30 o'colck. The vessel will sail for Seattle via Kobe and Yokohama Saturday morning, and the outgoing tender with passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 9 o'clock.

Steamers Arrived

June 25—Helcion from Tientsin
June 26—Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo
June 26—Preussen from Tsingtao
June 26—Kaga Maru from Japan
June 26—Tseangtah 2 from Hankow
June 26—Iyang Maru from Hankow
June 26—Gleapp from Vladivostok
June 26—Hohsing from Chefoo
June 26—Unkai Maru from Japan
June 26—Lanensamud from Siam
June 26—Kiangyu from Hankow

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangyu from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. John S. Stubblefield and child, Mr. and Mrs. W G. Hoffman, Mr and Mrs. W. W. Haskell and two children, Mrs. J. S. Kossiakoff and child, Mrs. Brodsky.

Per C.M. s.s. Hsin Kiangteen from Ningpo: Mr. and Mrs. Soranson, Dr. Grant.

Per C.N. s.s. Sunning from Hongkong: Messrs. McCann, D. Short.

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S.S. President Pierce .....Sept. 1

FOR HONGKONG and MANILA
S.S. President Lincoln.....July 6
S.S. President Taft .....July 20
S.S. President Cleveland.....Aug 3
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Tenyo Maru, Manila via Hongkong July 25
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Rokko Maru .....July 1
Shanghai Maru .....July 3
Yamashiro Maru ....July 4
Nagasaki Maru .....July 6

FOR VICTORIA, SEATTLE AND VANCOUVER
Yokohama Maru ....June 30

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Atsuta Maru .....July 14
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S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" ...(Via Tsingtao) ....June 28
S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" .(Via Tsingtao) ....July 9

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PORTHOS			20th July
ANGKOR	1st June	10th July	3rd August
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FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

June 30	9.00*	Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
June 30	—	New York via Suez	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
June 30	—	Seattle	Yokohama M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 2	—	Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
July 2	—	New York via Suez	Wray Castle	Br. Dod. & Co.
July 3	—	San Francisco	Siberia M.	Jap. T.K.K.
July 7	—	San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
July 7	—	Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 8	—	Portland, Ore.	West Cayote	Am. Lumber Co.
July 9	—	New York	Genoa Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 9	—	Vancouver	Stuart Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
July 10	—	New York via Suez	Telemachus	Br. B. & S.
July 12	—	Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 13	—	New York	Hamburg Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 13	—	New York via Suez	Virginia Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Jully 14	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
July 18	—	Seattle	Arizona Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 18	—	Portland, Ore.	West Kader	Am. Lumber Co.
July 19	—	San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
July 19	—	New York	Hamburg Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 20	—	New York via Suez	Langton Hall	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 23	—	Portland, Ore.	West O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
July 24	—	Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 21	—	San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
July 30	—	Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 5	—	Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 10	—	New York via Suez	Teltheblus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 11	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Aug. 12	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 17	—	Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 18	—	San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 24	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 1	—	San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR JAPAN PORTS

June 27	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 29	—	Nagasaki	Nagasaki M	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 30	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 1	—	Nagoya, Yokohama	Rokko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 3	—	Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 4	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC

June 27	—	Hamburg, etc.	Machaon	Br. B. & S.
June 27	—	Liverpool, etc.	Cyclops	Br. B. & S.
June 28	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tsuruga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
June 28	—	Hamburg, etc.	Glenapp	Br. G.L.E.A.
June 29	—	Hamburg	Pruessen	Ger. H. A. Line
July 1	—	Hamburg, etc.	Rhesus	Br. B. & S.
July 1	—	Hamburg, etc.	Tottori Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 6	2.00	Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
July 6	—	Singapore, etc.	West Prospect	Am. S. & B.
July 7	—	London	†Katori Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 7	—	London, etc.	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 8	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Oldekerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co
July 9	—	Hamburg, etc.	Alps Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 9	—	Hamburg, etc.	Alps Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 9	—	Calcutta, etc.	Takada	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 11	—	Hamburg, etc.	Troilus	Br. B. & S
July 14	—	Marseilles, etc.	Atsuta Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 15	—	Liverpool, etc.	Ningchow	Br. B. & S.
July 18	—	Hamburg, etc.	Helenus	Br. B. & S.
July 20	—	Hamburg, etc.	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H. S. Linie
July 20	—	Marseilles	†Porthos	Fr. M. M. Cie
July 21	—	London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 23	—	London	Kashima Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 26	—	Bombay	Soudan	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 27	—	Liverpool	Peleus	Br. B. & S.
July 31	—	Marseilles	Sarpedon	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 2	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Sarpendon	Br. B. & S
Aug. 3	—	Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie
Aug. 4	—	London	†Khiva	Br. M.M. & Co.
Aug. 7	—	Rotterdam, etc.	Saleier	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Aug. 8	—	Hamburg, etc.	Rhexenor	Br. [illegible]
Aug. 12	—	Hamburg	Scheer	Ger. H.S. Line
Aug. 15	—	Liverpool, etc.	Titan	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 17	—	Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr. M. M. Cie
Aug. 18	—	London	†Kashmir	Br. M. M. Co.
Aug. 30	—	London, etc.	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 31	—	Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr. M. M. Cie
Sep. 14	—	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Cie

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

June 27	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 7	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 18	—	Melbourne, etc.	Yoshino Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 4	—	Melbourne, etc.	†St Albans	Br. M. M. & Co.
Sept. 1	—	Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

June 28	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 28	5.00	Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
June 27	4.45	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S
June 27	5.00	Ningpo	Tsin Ningshao	Chi. N. S. S. N.
June 27	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
June 28	10.00*	A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
June 29	—	Hongkong	Arizona Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 29	—	Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
June 29	3.00	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co
June 30	—	Wenchow	Felching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 30	—	Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
June 30	noon	S. H'kong, C'ton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.
July 1	noon	A. H'kong, C'ton	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
July 1	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Yatshing	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 3	1.00	S. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
July 6	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
July 8	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 8	—	Hongkong, Manila	West Cayote	Am. Lumber Co
July 10	—	Hongkong	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 12	—	Hongkong	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
July 13	—	Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
July 20	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 23	—	Hongkong, Manila	West O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
July 25	—	Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
July 27	—	Hongkong	E. of Russia	Br. C. P. S.
July 28	—	Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
July 29	—	Hongkong, Manila	W. Chopaka	Am. S. & B.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

June 27	9.00*	Dairen, etc.	Kohoku Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
June 27	9.00*	Antung	Chusan	Br. B. & S.
June 28	—	Chinwangtao	Kiangping	Br. K. M. A.
June 28	D.L.	Tsingtao, N'chwang	Esang	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 28	10.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tinggang	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 28	—	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 28	—	Dairen, etc.	Choku Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
June 29	10.00*	C. N'chwang, Dairen	Kwangse	Br. B. & S.
June 30	10.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
June 30	11.00*	Tsingtao	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S
July 1	noon	Newchwang	Kashing	Br. B. & S.
July 1	1.00	Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
July 1	11.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br. J. M. & Co
July 1	D.L.	Antung	Wosang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 3	—	Dairen	Argun Maru	Jan. O.S.K.
July 3	2.00	Antung	Chekiang	Br. B. & S
July 18	—	Dairen	West Kader	Am. Lumber Co

FOR RIVER PORTS

June 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
June 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
June 28	M.N.	Chungking	Fuhwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
June 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
June 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
June 30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
July 1	noon	Pukow	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
July 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
July 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 3	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
July 4	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 4	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.

M. N.—MIDNIGHT D. L.—DAYLIGHT * A.M.
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The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
June 30	7 a.m.	P. Jefferson	Seattle	July 16
July 2	4 p.m.	E. of Australia	Vancouver	July 18

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 6	1 p.m.	Chili	Marseilles	Aug. 7
July 7	7.30 a.m.	Malwa	Marseilles	Aug. 11

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
Antung	Today	7.30 a.m.	Chusan
Tsingtao	Today	7.30 a.m.	Kohoku M.
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Hsinming
Tsingtao	Today	9 p.m.	Esang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	June 28	8.30 a.m.	Tinggang
Chefoo	June 29	9.30 a.m.	Kwangse
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	June 30	8.30 a.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtao	June 30	9.30 a.m.	Sinkiang
Tsingtao & Dairy	July 1	11.30 a.m.	Sakaki M.
Antung	July 3	12.30 p.m.	Chekiang

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Amoy	June 28	8.30 a.m.	Sunping
Hongkong & Canton	June 29	3 p.m.	E. of Asia
Wenchow	June 29	9 p.m.	Feiching
Hongkong & Canton	June 29	11 a.m.	Preussen
Swatow	June 30	10.30 a.m.	Shantung
Hongkong & Canton	June 30	1 p.m.	Taiyo M.
Amoy	July 1	10.30 a.m.	Liangchow
Swatow	July 3	11.30 a.m.	Soochow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Germany, ports	June 29	11 a.m.	Preussen
Japan ports	June 28	7 p.m.	Nagasaki M.
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	June 29	3 p.m.	E. of Asia
Japan ports	June 29	7 p.m.	Yokohama M.
Japan ports	June 30	9 a.m.	Nikko M.
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	June 30	1 p.m.	Taiyo M.

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
F N B	June 20	Algol	Fr. Gun-boat
M C W	———	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
B N B	June 21	Hawkins	Br. Cruiser
M C W	June 20	Hollyhock	Br. Gun-boat
J N B	June 11	Momo	Jap. Destroyer
M C W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
1 C	June 20	Petersfield	Br. Gun-boat
———	June 20	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
U S N B	June 19	Villalobos	Am. Gun-boat

Meteorological Reports

June 27, 1923.
Sun rises today at 4.58
Sun sets today at 19.5

	SICCAWEI June 20.		June 21	
Barometer (inches)	29.63	29.64	29.55	29.54
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs	−0.04	−0.10	−0.16	−0.20
Barometer at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs	−0.08	−0.10	−0.08	−0.10
Wind—direction	SE	SE	SE	SSE
Wind—miles per hour	21.1	16.2	10.8	5.0
Temperature (Fahr.)	86°2	76°5	75°4	81°3
Humidity %	71	93	97	81
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	7	7	7	9
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)				

June 20	Mean.1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous same period average
SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT	29.68	−0.01	29.72
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	81°4	−3°1	74°3
Temperature (Fahr.) (Min 73°8) (Max. 89°1)	20.58	0.00	19.64
Rainfall (inches)			

Steamers Departed

June 25—Meian for Hankow
June 25—Meinan for Hankow
June 25—Daghestan for Miri
June 26—Kiangshun for Hankow
June 26—Tehhsing for Hankow
June 26—Tatung for Hankow
June 26—Kutwo for Hankow
June 26—Talee Maru for Hankow
June 26—Choshu Maru for Jap.
June 26—Taisho M. for Wuhu
June 26—Takeshima M. for Jap.
June 26—S'hai M. for Japan
June 26—Changchow for N'chwang
June 26—Fooshing for N'chwang
June 26—Szechuen for S. H. C'ton
June 26—Hsinfung for C. T'tsin
June 26—Chikugo M. for Japan
June 26—Sicilia for Bombay
June 26—Talshun for H. C'tou
June 26—Pres. Grant for H., M.
June 26—Porthos for Japan
June 26—Bendoran for Japan
June 26—Tsaungtah for H'kow
June 26—Amagisan M. for Wuhu
June 26—Chobei M. for T. Dairen
June 26—Shunchong for N. C'tong
June 26—Fengtien for W. C. T.
June 26—Yatung for V'tok
June 26—Hsini Kangteen for Ningpo

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Will sell by Public Auction within their Salesroom
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Comprising:—

Chinelle covered double spring couch and easy chairs, American leather covered Chesterfield couch and arm chairs, sofa, card table, bookcase, jardiniere stands, dinner wagon, extension dining table and chairs, glass, E. P., and crockery ware, bevel-edged mirror door wardrobe, dressing tables, chest of drawers, washstand, sanitary commode, bedroom chairs, wooden and iron bedsteads, electric table fans, pictures, porcelain vases, gent's and lady's shoes, a quantity of old clothing, ice chest, cooking utensils, and sundries etc., etc.

also

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One "Roneo" Duplicator N. 10
One "Oliver" typewriter, No. 5
One adding machine
Ten Persian carpets

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Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Appraisers and General Brokers.
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Will sell by Public Auction
AT NO. 6 PARK ROAD,
On Thursday June 28th
Commencing at 10.00 a.m.
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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

Comprising:—

Hall, Drawing Room, Dining Room Bed Room & Bath Room requisites

Japanese matting, carpet, skin Rugs, Black stained wicker couch, arm chairs, Rocking chairs, Cabinet, Arm chairs, Photogravure, E. P. glass and crockery ware, Cream Painted bed room suite cream Painted twin bedstead with bedding, screen Bevelled edge mirror door wardrobe, Dressing table, Chest of Drawers, Porcelain Basin, Kerosene Oil stove, Ice Chest, Meat safe etc.,

also

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1 Enamelled Iron Bath

On View Tuesday and Wednesday.

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At the Premises
NO. 23 SEYMOUR ROAD
On Wednesday, the June 27th, 1923,
Commencing at 10 a.m.
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EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

Comprising:—

HALL,
DRAWING ROOM,
DINING ROOM,
BED & BATH ROOMS
REQUISITES,

Including:—

Mahogany-Stained Bevel-edged Mirror-back Hat and Umbrella Stand, Tapestry Stair Carpets and Brass Rods, Tapestry, and Tientsin Carpets, Brass Fender Borders and Fire Brasses, Mahogany-Stained Escritoire, Tapestry Covered Double Spring Couch and easy Chairs, Lacquered Teapoys, Brass Top Tea Table, Oakwood Card Table, Black-Stained Dining Room Suite, WHITE ENAMELLED AND OAK-STAINED BEDROOM SUITES, with Bevel-edged Mirrors, Simmon's Bedsteads, Fancy Toilet Sets, Wicker Table and Chairs, White-Painted Medicine Cabinets, Curtains, Pictures, Ornaments,
etc., etc., etc.

also

Electric Lights and Fittings throughout

On View on Tuesday, the 26th instant.

Catalogues on the Premises.

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Will sell by Public Auction
AT NO. 40 MARKHAM ROAD
On Wednesday June 27th 1923
Commencing at 10.00 a.m.
SUPERIOR
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

Comprising:—

HALL:—Teakwood Mirror-back Hat & Umbrella stand, Oakwood Hanging Cupboard, Photogravure and Ornaments Etc.,

DRAWING ROMM: — Japanese matting carpet, silk Embroidered Panel Fire screen, Brass Mounted fender, Coal scuttle fire Brasses, Teakwood book case, Coloured pictures, Leather covered Double spring couch and arm chairs, Centre Table, Lace curtains, Flower stands, Music Rolls etc.

DINING ROOM: — Skin Rugs, Axminster carpet, Fancy clock, Tapestry covered Easy Chairs, Teakwood Bevelled-Edge mirror-back side board, Collarette, Dining table, Dining Chairs, E. P. Cutglass and crockery ware, Photogravure, 5 Bed Rooms, and Bath Rooms—Tapestry carpet Oakwood Bed room suite Double Brass Mounted Iron bedstead with bedding, Linen cupboard, white Painted hanging cupboard, Dressing table, Chest of drawers bed linen Medicine cabinet, Wicker couch, Wicker arm chairs and tables, etc.

and

Pantry and kitchen as usual
Electric light fittings throughout

also

1 Hornless Gramophone with record cabinet
1-2 Blade Electric Ceiling Fan 200 Volts
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Chinese Journalist On Walking Trip Around The World

A young Chinese journalist—Kwee Kheng Liong—walked into The China Press office yesterday on a walking trip around the world. Mr. Kwee left the Aneta Press Bureau in Batavia, Java, in August of last year and since then has visited Malaya, Siam, Indo-China and Hongkong, from where he came to Shanghai.

He will be in Shanghai two or three days before proceeding on to Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Vladivostok and then crossing to Japan, filling the volume he carries with signatures and chops of Consuls, newspapers and big hongs. He left Batavia without a cent in his pockets and still looks fat and sassy from the sale of postcards.

American Consul Davis Returns From Tsaochuang

American Consul John K. Davis, who represented the United States in the negotiations at Tsao Chuang which led to the release of the foreign captives on Pao Tzu Ku, returned yesterday. Following the release of captives and the completion of the report of the International Commission which investigated the bandit outbreak, Mr. Davis went to Peking to make a personal report to American Minister Schurman. Mr. Davis will resume his duties as Senior American Assessor in the Mixed Court, relieving Vice-Consul Berger of Tientsin who has been serving during his absence.

Dr. Frank Crane, Famous Writer, Coming Here Soon

Dr. Frank Crane, whose "daily editorials" are syndicated in over one hundred newspapers in the United States and Europe, will arrive in Shanghai on July 12 for a two week visit here, according to information received last night.

Dr. Crane has been visiting in Japan for the past two weeks, during which time he has made a number of addresses before schools and churches. In addition to the ministry and journalism Dr. Crane is intimately connected with the stage and the movies as his son, an actor, is married to Alice Brady, the stage and cinema star.

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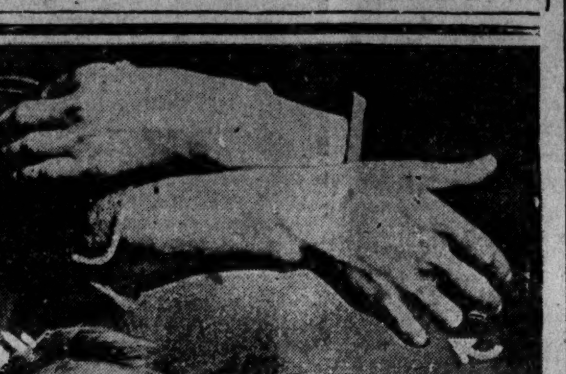

Paul Revere White.

PAUL Revere White, a Taunton (Massachusetts) youth, has testified that he was brutally beaten in a prison camp in Florida, to which he had been "leased." The turpentine camp was owned by State Senator Knabb, of Florida. Two of White's fingers rotted off, following the alleged brutality of guards and whipping bosses.

Urges Chinese Merchants To Act In Political Crisis

The Shanghai District Chamber of Commerce held a meeting Monday in connection with the political crisis. Mr. Yao Tse-sah presided.

Mr. Yao declared that the Chinese merchants must awaken to the crisis confronting their country in consequence of the scandalous usurpation of the Presidency by the militarists. The Lincheng affair still remained unsettled, he said, but China's prestige had received another severe blow through it.

"It is time," he said, "that Chinese merchants bestir themselves to action for the sake of the welfare of the country and their own interests which are being seriously jeopardised."

Mr. Moh Shu-tsai next spoke. He pointed out the futility of waiting for the completion of a permanent Constitution by Parliament. He advocated that the Chambers of Commerce, Educational and Agricultural Associations, Provincial Assemblies and Bar Associations throughout the country should hold a convention for the purpose of drafting a Constitution.

PASS RESOLUTIONS

Five resolutions were passed as follows:—

1. Resolved that the illegal assumption of the Chief Executive's duties by the Cabinet should be repudiated.

2. Resolved that telegrams should be dispatched to the military and civil authorities throughout the country, asking them to maintain order in the different localities.

3. Inasmuch as the legislators have long been denounced by the people and inasmuch as their terms of office have already expired, be it resolved that all acts by Parliament are repudiated.

4. Resolved that the opinions shall be consulted of the Chambers of Commerce, Educational and Agricultural Associations, Provincial Assemblies, Bar Associations and other legitimate organisations with a view to the completion of a permanent Constitution by the people.

5. Resolved that a circular telegram shall be issued, repudiating the renewal of the Sino-Japanese Agreement in connection with the Kao-Hsu, Shun-Tsi, Mongolia-Manchuria, and Ki-Hui Railway loans.

LEGISLATORS WAVER

(China Press Service)

Peking, June 25.—Attracted by the so-called Constitution drafting fee of $120 for each member of Parliament a number of legislators, who recently proceeded to Tientsin, have returned to the Capital today.

Mr. Wu Ching-lin, Speaker of the House of Representatives, who is sponsoring the electoral campaign conducted by General Tsao Kun's proteges, declares that he is confident that the Parliamentarians at Tientsin will be induced to come back to Peking in three days.

Official circles, however, express the belief that the canny legislators will again flock to Tientsin after they obtain the bribe. They point out that the "retention fee" which General Tsao Kun gave to the legislators immediately afer President Li Yuan-hung's flight from Peking was utilised as traveling expenses in connection with their recent trip to Tientsin.

The procedure of the forthcoming Presidential election has formed the topic of debates in Parliamentary circles, each party putting forth proposals which will serve best its own interests.

KOO'S POSITION

The Chihli faction has up to the present been unable to enlist the support of Doctor Wellington Koo. Doctor Koo declares that he will not accept the portfolio of Foreign Affairs, until there is a formal Government. He says that diplomacy and internal politics should be made separate and that it will be futile to subserve diplomacy to political intrigues. He adds that he prefers to be above party, as he believes no Minister of Foreign Affairs can successfully deal with China's diplomatic issues, when he is hampered by party politics.

Two hundred and forty legislators have addressed a communication to Doctor Koo, urging him to assume office. The message is intended as an assurance that Doctor Koo's appointment will be approved by Parliament. Doctor Koo, it is understood, is not satisfied with the assurance, inasmuch as the letter was signed only by the minority of the Parliamentarians.

Meanwhile, Tuchun Chi Shih-yuan of Kiangsu has telegraphed to Peking, stating that Doctor Koo and Doctor W. W. Yen should not be permitted to leave Peking, until the political crisis is settled.

THREATEN TO QUIT

Mr. Shen Jui-lin, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, has threatened to resign, as he is at loggerheads with Messrs. Kao Ling-wei and Wu Yu-lin, Ministers of Interior and Communications respectively.

The Cabinet has exhorted Mr. Shen to remain in office so as to tide the Government over the present political crisis. Mr. Shen is reminded that the situation is very critical, as it is expected that the sanctions of the Powers in connection with the Lincheng outrage will be communicated to the Waichiaopu in a day or two.

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McTYEIRE SCHOOL HAS GRADUATION EXERCISES TODAY

Final Exercises Of Commencement Program Are At 4:30

McTyeire School's commencement program, which began June 23, will come to a conclusion this afternoon with the holding of the graduation exercises.

Class Day, on Saturday afternoon, was an interesting occasion, including the wit and repartee of the usual class history, class prophecy, current hits in gifts bestowed upon other classes by the outgoing Seniors, with equally appropriate hits and compliments for the Seniors, in stunts and presentations by the other classes. Each class looked charming in its respective simple uniforms arranged for the day, and banners and slogans to suit the occasion.

The graduates left a picture of themselves, nicely framed, for the faculty, and left to the school their class motto embroidered on satin in class colors. They presented, also, to the school, funds necessary to the construction of a new pavilion on the site where an old one yielded to wind and storm during the year.

On Sunday morning, the Rev. A. N. Rowland, pastor of Union Church, stirred the hearts of all present, when he preached the baccalaureate sermon on the influence of friendship in the life, the climax being reached in the influence of the friendship of Christ in the development of the personality to the best that the individual could attain.

Last night was the occasion of the annual concert, put on by the departments of pianoforte, chorus work, and expression.

On Monday night there was an Alumnae banquet when the graduates were welcomed into the fellowship of McTyeire Alumnae.

This afternoon at four-thirty o'clock will be the final event of the year when certificates and diplomas from the various departments will be presented by the principal, Miss Martha E. Pyle. The school is fortunate upon this occasion to have for the speaker of the day, Mrs. C. E. Couling, who, as a brilliant thinker, and with a long history in China that has afforded her familiarity with things Chinese—history, art, literature—is particularly fitted to bring a message to Chinese young women on an occasion like this.

The place of all these activities is the newly acquired Social Hall at 1 Edinburgh Road.

SHIP DISABLED

(Reuter's Service)

Madras, June 25.—The Dutch steamer, Sloterdijk, the propellor of which is believed to have been fouled by wre 90 miles from here, is communicating with the Dutch steamer, Andijk, to take her in tow.